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Grand Mufti Meets Arab Youth Corps



Belgrade, Oct. 11. The Yugoslav Ministry of Foreign Affairs announced today that Yugoslavia has decided to break off diplomatic relations with Chile.

A Foreign Office statement declared that Chile's claims against two Yugoslav diplomats, who were expelled by the Chilean Government on Wednesday, constituted "a most fantastic slander against our Government," says Associated Press.

When Chile announced the expulsion of the Yugoslav officials, she issued a communique charging Yugoslavia with creating "a vast Communist espionage and sabotage organization" in South America.

Zhukov Fired At

The Soviet Ambassador, Dmitri Zhukov, escaped uninjured when gunmen in a speeding automobile fired 11 shots into the Soviet Embassy in Santiago today.

The Chilean Government quickly offered a formal apology.

The authorities believe the shots were fired either by Communist followers to create an incident or by members of the Chilean anti-Communist alliance.

Associated Press, United Press and Reuters.

ISLAM SHOCK TROOPS

Persistent reports say that in the Lebanon and Syria, Arab armies are massing for an invasion of Palestine. Here is shown the man who controls the Arab movement.

The Mufti of Jerusalem who was recently reported to have arrived in Lebanon to direct the shock troops of Arab Nationalism—the exiled leader, who found sanctuary in Egypt after escaping from France, greeting members of the Nejdah, the Militant Arab Youth Movement, at his home in Cairo.

ARMED GANG THREATENS CANTON-KOWLOON RAILWAY SERVICE

The threatening attitude of some 300 armed men along the railway about 30 miles from Canton disrupted scheduled train services between the Kwangtung capital and Hong Kong on Thursday afternoon. The services were resumed yesterday.

Messages from Canton said that the men were preparing to derail the Canton express, bound for Kowloon, with the object of robbing the occupants.

Regulars from Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek's Canton Headquarters, accompanied by railway guards and armed police, clashed with the men for more than an hour. Casualties were recorded on both sides.

Canton reports said the men were equipped with heavy and light machine-guns and small artillery pieces. Ten of the would-be robbers are believed to have been killed.

French Drive On Fast In Tonkin

Hanoi, Oct. 11. Large-scale encircling operations launched recently against Viet Nam forces by the French in Tonkin are "progressing very favourably on all sectors with French casualties very slight," according to semi-official French press reports received here last night.

Following the announcement earlier yesterday of the capture of Son Tay, about 50 miles west of Hanoi, the French High Command reported the taking of a nearby town tonight, these reports said.

Hoa Binh, some 80 miles southwest of Hanoi had also been retaken by French forces, the communique stated, adding that the French, pushing out from Hoa Binh and Hanoi, made contact yesterday.

The first phase of the new French drive, which consisted largely of parachute operations, has apparently been completed with the reestablishment of a strategic line from Saigon to Hanoi, the press reports said.

The French news agency report said that the Viet Nam forces broke a daylong silence on Thursday night by announcing that the French had opened "their dry season campaign" had certainly started despite the secrecy maintained at the headquarters of the forces in Indo-China.

"The extent of the operations launched by the French parachute troops does us honour," the radio said.

The Agency also reported that Admiral Ballet, Commander-in-Chief of the French naval forces in the Far East, General Bode, the French Air Commander in the Far East and Colonel Gazin, the Chief of Staff, arrived in Hanoi today from Saigon.

Bao Dai To Move?

According to a French news agency message quoting usually well-informed sources, Bao Dai, former Emperor of Annam, will meet high French officials in Indo-China, presumably to discuss the political situation in Indo-China.

The message said that the meeting would probably take place at Bao Dai's private ship.

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BEDUIN SAID TO BACK ARAB "ARMY"

Rumours Of War In Palestine Continue

Beirut, Oct. 11. Arab League sources said today that King Abdullah of Transjordan has agreed to send his British-trained forces along with the other Arab countries on a march towards Palestine. The King's decision, reportedly given at his Amman headquarters last night, would throw the best Arab army into the battle.

Informed League sources said Abdullah gave his decision to Abdul Rahman Azam, Pasha, general secretary of the Arab League, and Iraq Premier Salim Jabry (who visited Amman following the end of the Arab League meeting here).

It is believed if Transjordan troops marched on Palestine, Britain would cut off its grant to the Transjordan Army but Abdullah expressed his belief that Britain would not make an issue of the matter, inasmuch as British policy did not specifically support Zionism.

Britain at present has a friendship treaty with Transjordan. Shortly after the meeting, Azam and Jabry received the British Minister. The subject of discussion is not known.

"Measures"

Azzam Pasha Abdel, Secretary-General of the Arab League, also said today the League Council would wind up its Holy Land deliberations tonight with talks of possible further "military measures" against Palestine.

The Council voted on Thursday night to endorse what it called "terrorist organizations and Zionist forces" in Palestine by moving Arab troops up to the boundaries of the Holy Land.

Arab informants here said the troops were moving up in accordance with the decision.

Official government sources said last night that 10,000 Syrian and 1,000 Lebanese troops had massed along the Palestine border.

The exact locality of the troops has been kept secret through the day and night, on civilian traffic in the border area.

Azzam, who earlier had said that Egypt had ordered troops to the Southern Palestine frontier, said the next step depended on the British, the Zionists and the United Nations.

Despite reports of troop concentrations encircling Palestine, other sources in Beirut, however, said such reports thus far were a "marvellous fantasy."

New Attempt

Associated Press messages from Canton yesterday disclosed a second attempt by 100 armed men to rob a Canton-bound passenger train on Friday night in the same locality near Wuchung, 30 miles east of the Kwangtung capital.

A troop train, following the passenger train, frustrated the attempt.

The troops dispersed the men after a battle lasting an hour. No passengers were hurt.

Regarding the previous night's incident, the Associated Press said that "unlucky" warning by village elders saved the Canton-bound express from Kowloon from being waylaid and robbed.

The approach of the bandits along the vicinity of the railroad was known on Thursday to the village heads, who reported the matter to the station master at Wuchung, who in turn warned Canton.

Jew Moves

Hagan, the moderate Jewish underground army, yesterday also began moving its troops to five points along the Lebanese-Syrian border, presumably as a counter-measure against the Arab forces converging on the Holy Land's frontier.

In Jerusalem, a score of British constables, with Sten guns ready, were stationed about the American Consulate in Manilah Street today as reports spread that the United States would support the partitioning of Palestine in the United Nations debate at Lake Success.

The precautionary action followed the bombing of the Swedish Consulate, less than two weeks ago, by Arabs who claim

U. S. Moves For Partition Of Palestine

Lake Success, Oct. 11. The United States today accepted in principle a proposal for the partition of Palestine into Jewish and Arab nations.

U.S. also agreed to help UNO preserve "international law and order" during a recommended two-year transition period.

On the question of providing military forces to guard against possible attacks from the outside the United States refrained from making any commitments.

In a long-awaited policy declaration before the 57-nation Palestine Committee of the UNO General Assembly, American delegate, Harnett Johnson:

(1) Endorsed in principle a majority recommendation by the UNO Special Committee on

Refugees From Delhi



A letter message from N. W. Dutt says that an emergency committee of the Indian Cabinet set November 15 as the target date for completing refugee movements through East Punjab and urged both Dominions and the Punjab authorities to make special efforts to fulfil that aim.

Here are shown Moslems, refugees, crowding railway coaches as they flee from New Delhi to Pakistan. (Photo.)

Huge Losses In Swatow Gale

Damage estimated at HK\$500,000, 50 killed, 20 seriously injured, and between 2,000 and 3,000 homeless in Swatow alone, are the results of typhoon "Pauline."

"Pauline" struck Swatow early last Wednesday morning, according to a Chinese trader, James Cheung, who arrived here yesterday.

In addition, vast rice fields (about to be harvested) north of Swatow have been laid waste.

The price of rice has risen more than 50 per cent as a result.

Answering an appeal for relief from the Mayor of Swatow, Mr. C. L. Hsu, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Tung Wah Hospital, called an emergency meeting on Friday.

Yesterday CN\$200,000,000 (HK\$14,500) was remitted to Swatow, in addition to 30 cases of assorted western medicine by boat.

Messages received by the Tung Wah Hospital estimated the homeless at 10,000.

"A Miracle"

Chief Officer Harry R. Simpson, of the s.s. "Hai Yang," which was caught in the typhoon some 35 miles from Swatow on Tuesday, told the "Sunday Herald" yesterday that "never in my 30 odd years at sea have I seen such a storm."

"It is a miracle that nobody was seriously injured and that the ship was not severely damaged."

The "Hai Yang" rode the typhoon for 12 hours and reached Swatow 24 hours behind schedule.

Mountainous seas, accompanied by an estimated 150 mph wind were experienced.

The Chinese crew of the "Hai Yang" yesterday held a Thanksgiving Service on board the vessel. Joss sticks and incense were burned and food offered to the "Gods of the Elements" for the safe deliverance of the "Hai Yang" from typhoon "Pauline."

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Reds Push On Mukden BIG BATTLE AT TIEHLING

Nanking, Oct. 11. A "Hsin Min Pao" dispatch from Mukden today said the Communists have opened a general offensive against "Iron Hill"—Tiehling—gateway to Mukden.

The Communists are advancing under cover of a heavy artillery barrage. Nationalist artillery are returning fire.

Nationalist planes are leaving Mukden in waves to support the New Sixth Army, which is garrisoning Tiehling.

The Government Information Office released this afternoon omitted all mention of the fighting at Manchuria.

Tiehling is regarded as the rail gateway from the north to Mukden. Its loss would be a real blow to the Government.

The Reds are also reported to have continued attacks against Kailuan station, 75 miles northeast of Mukden.

Railway Cut

Train services between Mukden and Chinghsien were temporarily suspended on the "Double Tooth" by Red raiders who damaged tracks near Haimin, 35 miles west of Mukden.

The Nationalists claimed to have beaten back the hits of Red raiders who had been threatening the Peking-Mukden railway town of Chinghsien, which commands Port Huludao.

Three Red divisions reportedly have massed around Sipinghai but have not yet attacked that key rail point between Mukden and Changchun. The situation in the Changchun-Kungchuling sector was also reported to be quiet.

United Press and Associated Press.

CUB PILOTS DUE TO LEAVE SHANGHAI FOR TOKYO TODAY

Shanghai, Oct. 11. The globe-circling pilots, George Truman and Clifford Evans, probably will take off for Tokyo tomorrow the next step in their 21,000-mile flight around the world.

They spent the day today checking their planes and awaiting a favourable weather report before their scheduled departure. (United Press.)

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"DOUBLE TENTH" WAS CELEBRATED WITH A SWING

Their First Hypnotic Birth

Baltimore, Oct. 11. A 22-year-old nurse today gave birth to a 5 lb. 10 oz. boy at the Johns Hopkins Hospital under the hypnotic influence of a psychiatrist.

An obstetrician was in attendance but did nothing. It was the hospital's first hypnotic birth.

The patient was Mrs. Margaret Krepes Petrlik and the infant her first.

She remained conscious throughout the time spent in the delivery room. The obstetrician stood by while Dr. Rosen attended to the young mother. He said later that the "delivery went very well" but cautioned that medical conclusions could not be drawn from a single case.

Mrs. Petrlik showed no signs of pain during birth.—United Press.

China's National Day was enthusiastically celebrated on Friday by the Chinese community in Hong Kong.

The whole of the morning was occupied with meetings commemorating the 38th anniversary of the Chinese Republic, founded by the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen.

Mr. T. W. Kwok, Special Foreign Affairs Commissioner for Kwangtung-Kwangsi, held a cocktail party at his residence in Ys Shan Road at 11 a.m.

Besides the many small gatherings at schools, clubs, and political organisations, the Chinese community commemorated the Double Tenth at three mass meetings—at the Southern Playhouse, Prince's Theatre in Kowloon, and the Chinese Chamber of Commerce.

Meanwhile, in Nanking, Premier Chang Chun, in a Double Tenth message to the nation warned that China must make a supreme effort to survive as a nation and called on the Chinese people "not to spare an ounce of our energy" in the struggle for independence and freedom, says United Press.

"Time will not wait for China now or ever," Chang said, pointing out that "even Japan is bending its collective effort to national recovery."

TRAINING PLANES VISIT CANTON

Three training aircraft of the Far East Flying School, commanded by the School's officials, including the Manager of the School (Mr. Dymally), visited Canton on the Double Tenth at the invitation of Mr. Tai Kuo-on, Director of the Civil Aviation Bureau of the Ministry of Communications.

Mr. Tai visited the Colony at the beginning of last week and the visit of the Double Tenth was in the nature of a return visit to inspect the civil airport system in Canton.

The three aeroplanes landed at the White Cloud Aerodrome, where they were welcomed by the Aerodrome Director, Mr. Kwai.

The visitors from Hong Kong were taken around the city sight-seeing and returned the same afternoon to Hong Kong.

CHOLERA WARNING

The following telegram was received by the Director of Medical Services on Thursday last: "Owing to outbreak of cholera in Egypt ships should be warned not to take on any drinking water or provisions including fresh fruit, vegetables, shell fish or other fish at any Egyptian port. Passengers and crew landing at main, Tender Board, Public Works Department, not later than noon on Friday, Oct. 17, for the purchase of a quantity of photographic material consisting of: Kodak Ortho X Sheet Films 5 1/2 x 3 1/2 500 Pkts., Kodak Ortho X Sheet Films 6 1/2 x 4 1/2 200 Pkts., Kodak Panatomic X Sheet Films 6 1/2 x 4 1/2 50 Pkts., Kodak Bromide Paper 35m x 100 ft., B.G.2-500 Pkts.

HIT BY BOTTLE

Chau Chi-fook, 66 year old man, received serious head injuries while walking along Temple Street South, Yau-mat, at about 6.45 p.m. yesterday. It is understood that a wine bottle, thrown from the second floor of a house in the vicinity, caused the injuries. Chau was admitted to the Kowloon Hospital for treatment.

Grim View

At Peiping a grim view of China's internal and international situation was taken in the "Double Tenth" editorial of the "Shih Chieh Jih Pao," commonly regarded to be reflecting views of the C.C. clique, according to Associated Press.

It said China had not achieved the restoration of sovereignty over Manchuria.

Both Dairen and Port Arthur are in the hands of "others," it added.

"There is someone waiting for an opportunity to swallow China as a tiger does its prey," it declared.

Domestically, the Chinese language paper said, corruption is still rampant.

"The rascals have not yet been eliminated from office and the economic structure is going to collapse at any moment."

It said the Kuomintang should be strengthened by the elimination of "old and obsolete elements" and the infusion of new blood.

(British Message—See Page 9)

Princess A Godmother



Princess Elizabeth, accompanied by Princess Margaret and Lieutenant Philip Mountbatten, attended the christening of the infant daughter of the Hon. Mrs. Andrew Elphinstone, recently. The ceremony, at which Princess Elizabeth was Godmother, took place at the Worplesdon Parish Church, Worplesdon, Surrey. Photo shows Princess Elizabeth (left) and Princess Margaret (right) as they left Worplesdon Parish Church, Surrey, after the christening on the afternoon of Sept. 30. —A.P.H.

Price Controls On Milk, Wool, Ham

New items, including reconstituted milk, wool and Australian ham, have been added in the Price Control schedule.

An 8-oz. bottle of reconstituted milk can be sold for more than 25 cents under the order.

Maximum retail prices for Australian ham are \$2.20 per lb. of whole ham, \$2.45 per lb. of shank, and \$3.10 per lb. of middle cut and \$1.95 per lb. of butt end.

Among toilet requisites are Mennen antiseptic borated talcum (\$2.75 per 9 oz. tin) and Mennen talcum from men (\$2.75 per 9 oz. tin).

The controlled price for Mennen Lather Shave sticks, menthol export size, is \$2.00 per tube. Patons and Baldwin's "Itee."

Government Move On School Fee Racket

Regulations made by the Governor in Council, published yesterday, provide for Government control over all private schools in the Colony. The aim is to stop "racketeering" in school fees.

No change in inclusive monthly fees allowed without written approval of the Director of Education.

No appeals for charitable subscriptions without the Director's permission.

No classes during school holidays without permission.

Military training of any kind prohibited in schools.

Schools to be registered as boys, girls or mixed schools.

No smoking or spitting on school premises.

Corporal punishment for boys only with a light cane on the palms of the hands or on the buttocks.

No unauthorized person allowed on school premises.

Scholarships

The Director of Education announces that the British Council have allotted to Hong Kong three scholarships tenable at institutions of higher education in Great Britain for the session 1948/49. In special cases the scholarship may be extended to two years.

The maximum value of a scholarship is \$350 for one academic year plus fares. Candidates wishing to apply must satisfy the following conditions:—

(a) They must be of Chinese race.

(b) They must be living and working in Hong Kong.

(c) They must be able to produce a birth certificate.

(d) They must be proficient in written and spoken English.

(e) They must be between the ages of 25 and 35 years, and possess a degree of the University of Hong Kong or equivalent professional qualifications.

Prospective candidates should apply in their own handwriting, to Mr. G. F. Rees, Secretary, University Selection Committee, Education Department, Hong Kong, for Application Forms. The letter should contain information relative to the conditions in (a), (b), (c), (d) and (e) above, together with details of the course of study which the candidate proposes to take.

The question of occupation of basement garages in Kimberley, Hillwood and Austin Roads is to come before the Urban Council on Tuesday. The occupants are presenting applications for an extension of time to a further six months to remove from the basements.

Letters From Readers

"Pegasus Club"

Sir—I would be appreciated if you might be made of your columns to announce that it is proposed to form a "PEGASUS CLUB" in Hong Kong. The object of this club would be to keep alive the spirit of friendship that existed during the war between the troops who went into battle by air, and the R.A.F. crews who flew them.

Applications are invited from all past members of the Airborne Forces S.A.S., Force 130, I.S.D., R.A.F. Air Crew who flew parachutists or towed gliders, and any who conducted experimental work in connection with Airborne Forces.

If sufficient applications are received to warrant the formation of a club, a general meeting will be called to decide on the form and what activities the club shall take.

Those interested in the formation of a "PEGASUS CLUB" are asked to send in their names and addresses, and a brief statement of their qualifications to: MAJOR D. TAYLOR, R.A.F. 25th Field Regiment, R.A. Gun Club Hill Barracks, Kowloon.

Football Fallacies?

Sir—I am a keen football fan and am always interested in football matters local and abroad.

I wish to be enlightened on the following points which should be of public sporting interest.

(a) I watched a first division League game the other day in Kowloon and saw a linesman (a qualified referee) who was wearing glasses officiating in the game. Can you or any of your readers tell me if it is quite in order if a referee or linesman wears glasses during the course of a match to handle a match?

(b) In another game, a goal kick was taken by a player of a defending side and the ball hit one of his team mates inside the penalty area. The ball was kicked away. The referee gave a free kick to the attacking side. Is this correct? (And please, if you can, explain the reason why.)

STURDEE HAS HIGH PRAISE FOR CONDUCT OF BCOF IN JAPAN

Lieut.-General V. A. H. Sturdee, Chief of the General Staff Australian Army yesterday told a press conference in Hong Kong that during the whole time the British Forces have been in Japan there has not been one incident reported of sabotage or activity of a similar nature by the Japanese.

The General, who will leave Hong Kong to-day for Singapore, arrived here earlier in the week after visiting Commonwealth Forces in Japan with a view to finding out what future economy could be employed there. He said: "Japan is a very peaceful country at the moment. The people are most co-operative towards the occupation troops. In particular women of all ages are polite and gracious and I think that one of the 'brikest' factors in modernizing Japan will be the emancipation of its women. This will have a big effect on the future of the country."

General Sturdee who is also chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff in Australia (an organization made up of representatives of United Kingdom, India, New Zealand and Australia) said he had not previously visited Japan since the occupation because Australia was still wrestling with her post-war service plans which were approved last June.

Describing the occupation situation in general, the Chief of Staff said that for the first time in his military career he had seen an organization developed to such a stage that it would compare with a written plan. He said: "Troops are very well housed, as the Japanese Government has built them a good many barracks which are clean, hygienic with first class recreational facilities."

Leave

"The leave centres which also play a large part in service life and welfare in Japan, are very well provided and are run on lines of first class modern hotels."

On the food front, General Sturdee said that the troops were very well fed, but fresh vegetables were the main problem. These had to be brought up in a frozen condition from Australia.

Peninsula Hotel arrivals include J. B. Brown, C. H. Egan, Miss Margaret McCallan, R. Koppelman, E. H. Toy, Misses F. J. Stewart, Mrs. C. W. Lee, Miss M. J. Stead, Miss H. V. Kerr, Mrs. Meyer, G. E. Shingledecker, E. W. Jennings, W. S. Allen, J. G. S. Denison, Mrs. W. S. Hawkins, Mrs. R. Aiken-Quack, D. C. Lee, Lt.-Col. Faulkner, Mr. and Mrs. Compels and F. D. Thompson.

Peninsula departures include Mrs. E. J. Harrison, Miss A. Dancy, Mrs. D. E. Schultze, Mrs. L. G. Such, Mrs. G. S. Sirlin, J. B. Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bond, Mrs. Margaret Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bennett, Mrs. Eamie Scott, F. M. Hap, C. A. Platt, Mrs. R. A. Haines and H. C. Polley.

Passengers by C.P.A. planes: C. M. Johnston (from Singapore), Mrs. Barbara Thompson and J. B. Brown (from Manila), W. Richardson and W. Mcderman (to Singapore).

A concert of recorded music will be presented at Talbot House (Toc II), 60, Macdonnell Road, Hong Kong this evening at 8.30. The programme will include the fantasy "A Night on the Bare Mountain" and "Pictures at an Exhibition" by Moussorgsky; "Scherzade" Suite by Rimsky-Korsakov; "Peter and the Wolf" by Prokofiev.

The United States Congressional Mission, studying armed forces installations in the Far East, arrived in Nanking in Shanghai late yesterday for a three-day stay before leaving on Tuesday for Okinawa, says United Press.

The mission called on Generalissimo and Madame Chiang Kai-shek in Nanking from 11 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. in what was described as a "courtesy call" and then lunched with Premier Chang Chun.

And The Boys Came Home

Oakland, California, Oct. 10. The "boys who never came back" did come back today—contained in 3,028 brown steel coffins.

They came in an Army transport of the type which brought their more fortunate comrades in arms home many months ago.

Their names were on a passenger list—each one followed by the word "deceased."

They arrived on the transport "Honda Knot"—United Press.

Police Recruits Wanted

The Commissioner of Police announces that there is a limited number of vacancies in the local inspectorate and also a limited number of vacancies as interpreters or clerks. Applications from suitable candidates to fill these vacancies are called for.

Intending candidates must have passed the matriculation examination or have reached an equivalent standard of education. They should be able to speak both English and Cantonese fluently and a knowledge of other dialects will be considered an advantage.

Candidates for local inspection must be of robust physique, and an aptitude for games will be considered an advantage. They should also possess the following qualification:

Age—not over 25; minimum height—5' 6"; minimum weight—130 pounds; minimum (unexpanded) chest—32"; good eyesight without glasses.

Applicants should apply with reference of good character in person, to the Chief Inspector, Police Headquarters, Oriental Building, Connaught Road Central, as soon as possible.

The Commissioner of Police also announces that recruiting of Police Constables for the Hong Kong Police has recommenced. Applicants should attend the Police Training School, Waterloo Road, Kowloon, at 9.30 a.m. on Tuesday, and bring with them any recommendation or testimonials from previous employers or responsible persons.

Fishermen In Sea For 6 Days

Fishermen who had been clinging to pieces of wood and sea for six days were picked up floating at the mercy of the sea in the Ping Hoi area and brought to Hong Kong on Friday. One of them was found exhausted on shore.

The men are part of the fish boat fleet caught in a storm off Ping Hoi more than a week ago.

Eighteen of Hong Kong's fishing fleet have returned to harbor during the past few days. All are badly damaged with 12 drowned.

Few are now known to have been definitely sunk.

No news has been received yet of the 20 fishing junks which headed towards Swatow to avoid the typhoon.

PHOTO TENDERS

The Commissioner of Police invites tenders, which should be in duplicate, and under cover endorsed "Tender for Photographic Materials," and to be lodged at the Office of the Chief Tender Board, Public Works Department, not later than noon on Friday, Oct. 17, for the purchase of a quantity of photographic material consisting of: Kodak Ortho X Sheet Films 5 1/2 x 3 1/2 500 Pkts., Kodak Ortho X Sheet Films 6 1/2 x 4 1/2 200 Pkts., Kodak Panatomic X Sheet Films 6 1/2 x 4 1/2 50 Pkts., Kodak Bromide Paper 35m x 100 ft., B.G.2-500 Pkts.

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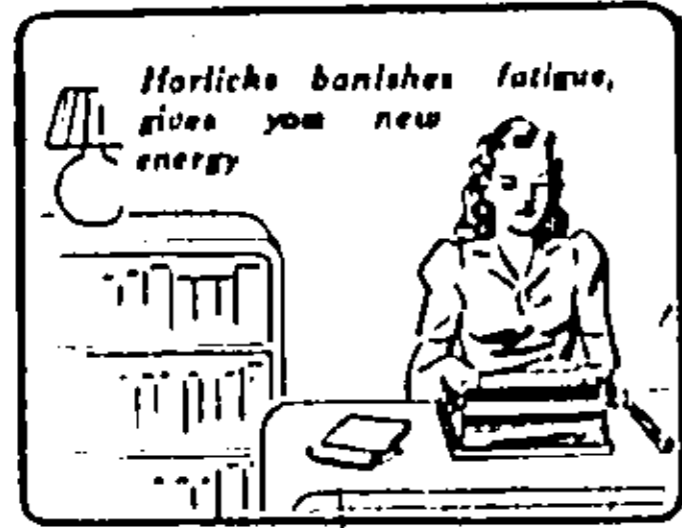
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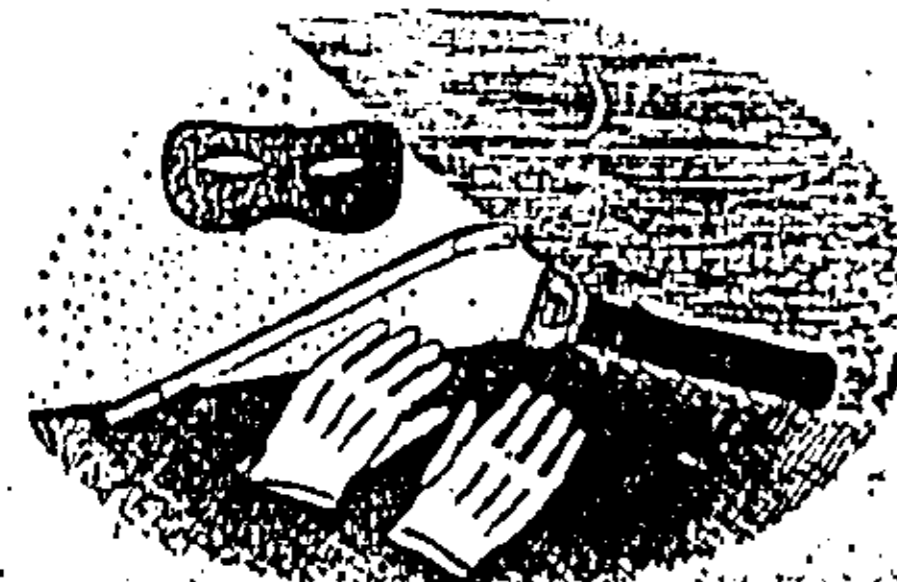


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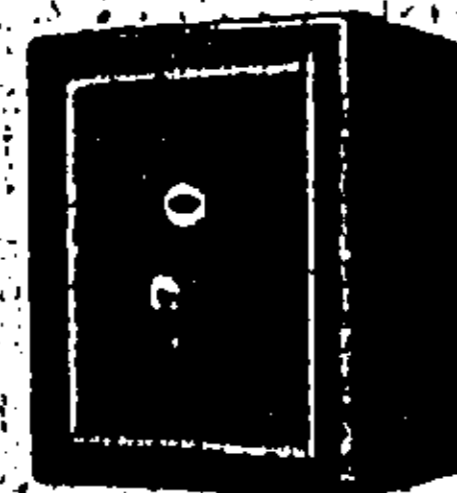
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Poser

Went along and saw the Income Tax people a few days ago. I posed the following problem:- Assume, in round figures, my income is \$100 a month. Assume, too, it is impossible for me to find anywhere to live and I therefore inhabit a small room in a hotel, where board and lodging cost \$160 a month. My employers, taking note of conditions, agree to pay the extra \$50 per month. Note here that I have to spend every cent of the \$100 and the extra \$50 is merely conveyed by me from the office to the hotel.

At the end of the year, however, I am taxed on an income of \$160 a month. Just in round figures, let us say the tax works out at \$2. How do I pay it? I've spent every cent of the \$100 I am paid, and the whole of the extra \$50 goes into the hotel bill. As I suspected, the Income Tax people couldn't answer that one, except to say I have to pay the \$2 which I obviously have not got. To that they say, "Then your employers must pay you enough so that you can pay," though of course any increase is automatically taxable!

Eventually, they had to agree that the only way I could meet my tax obligation was to draw the money from my bank account - assuming I have one to start with. What happens when one's bank account finally runs dry is anyone's guess. Presumably one appears in Court, is fined heavily, plus costs, waits a while, then appears before the Court for contempt and goes to gaol. Ah well, some of the best folk have been in Stanley and conditions cannot be much worse there today.

Typhoon Warning

Feeling free to criticise ZBW if and when circumstances require, I must also hand out a back-pat when it is deserved. I am happy, therefore, to report that ZBW saw the common-sense suggestion for making typhoon warnings intelligible to landlubbers. "Pauline's" movements were covered both by a Lat. and Long. announcement and a brief comment on the lines of "that put the typhoon at 3 p.m. some 350 miles east-south-east of Hong Kong."

But will someone please tell Monday night's announcer how to pronounce the names that every Carlyle should know? His worst mistakes were the name of some violinist or other whom he called "Melanin" and a melody which he called "Neapole" - "Neapole" is not a name, it is a quite native sherry and I could hardly wait to hear him say "neod glight".

Diversion

For the third time in two weeks, a shipment of American cars headed for Hong Kong has been diverted. In at least two cases, the automobiles are headed for Norway. I understand, however, that they will not be listed on arrival in Oslo as Ford V-8s.

Howlers

While the identity of the Police Station concerned must remain my secret, the following local howlers are genuine and are copied exactly from the documents concerned:- "Accused remanded for 72 hours in Police custody for further inquiries." - Notation on a Charge Sheet.

"For that you... did behave in such a manner as may cause a breach of the Police." - Charge against a man booked for disorderly conduct.

"The deceased is still in hospital suffering from compound fracture of the knee." - A prosecuting officer.

"Arrested at... a parcel containing an identity pass and a paybook." - Police report.

"Inspector Blank, please ask for 72 days remand." - Notation on copy of charge sheet.

Regatta No. 1

Today sees the final races in the opening Sailing Regatta, 1947/48 Season, of the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club. Sailing is one of the oldest pastimes in Hong Kong, and al-

though many things have changed, the basic principles are the same today as they were a hundred or more years ago - even to the culmination of the proceedings, a dance. The first regatta in Hong Kong was in 1841, a purely naval affair which wound up with a fancy dress ball given by H.M.S. "Agincourt."

The first Hong Kong Regatta was held on Thursday and Friday, October 11th and 12th, 1849, with a fancy dress ball on Monday, October 16th. A buffet supper and dance will wind up the proceedings for this year's regatta, too, though - in keeping with the spirit of the times and the more sensible regard one pays today to the temperature - it will be a flannel-dance.

The 1849 Regatta was given by the Victoria Regatta Club (forerunner of the V.R.C.). There was one major "Sailing Race for all Yachts," the entrance fee of \$15 going to club funds and the winner getting the Governor's Cup - "Value \$100 presented by H.E. Samuel George Bonham, C.B." Apart from a sailing race for craft not exceeding 10 tons, all the other races were pulling races - for wherries, 4-oared gigs, cutters and "all sampans called Houseboats."

The rules were fairly simple, the major one so far as the onsmen were concerned being a strict order of "No fouling allowed." For the sailing races, yachtsmen were warned that "port tack gives way to starboard"; "boats before the wind give way to boats working up"; "no propelling power, such as oars, allowed"; and "boats may anchor."

As for the regatta itself, the weather on the Thursday was everything that could be desired for pulling, as there was scarcely a ripple on the water. After an opening like that, it came as no surprise to read at the foot of the column that "there being no wind, the sailing race for small yachts was deferred until Friday."

Most of Thursday's pulling races saw exciting finishes. The last race of the day - for wherries pulling single sculls - seems to have ended in a mystery, for the account says that "the 'Daisy' and 'Shining Alice' never appeared; the former is supposed to have taken root on the course, and the latter to have gone to Macao or somewhere else."

The wind apparently picked up a bit on the Friday, and both the race for small yachts and the one for the Governor's Cup were sailed in fine style. A Mr. Playfair won the former in "Fanny Fidget" and Mr. J. Dent, "Gipsy," won the Cup. The "Ghost" capsized soon after rounding the first turning boat, but for which accident, her Captain says, she would have won the Cup, but in these days people are sceptical concerning Ghosts.

That night, Captain Morgan and the Officers of H.M.S. "Hastings" entertained a large party on board and "after an early dinner dancing was kept up to late hour." Saturday afternoon was devoted to wrestling and footraces, "in which the Soldiers were mostly competitors, establishing as it were in this remote settlement the fine, manly sports of old England." The Fancy Ball on the Monday was "the best affair of the kind ever known in China; the dresses were excellent, and the greatest harmony prevailed throughout a most entertaining evening."

A typical Press comment concludes: "Altogether, the Regatta has passed over to the entire satisfaction of nearly everybody; the prizes were fairly distributed - there was no unpleasant contention - and the amusements were sufficiently diversified to afford entertainment to all. Encouraged by the first year's success, it is to be expected that the local Press will have the pleasant task of making a yearly record of the meeting of the 'Hong Kong Regatta Club.'"

to give regarding this race - 1st, We don't see what right the Club has to pocket the entrance fees, because of His Excellency's munificent present. The entrance fees went to the Club - not to the winner - so the Club pockets \$100 - because His Excellency furnishes them a prize to run for. 2nd, The Empire kept the boats a most unconscionable time after they were ready, to the annoyance of the spectators, and causing intense anxiety to the gentlemen who sailed the boats."

BRIDGE

By YARBOROUGH
(Col. G.G.J. Walshe)

With a view to devising a remedy for the long drawn-out rubber, Mr. Oswald Jacoby, a prominent American player, has suggested a game of four hands only with one complete cycle of vulnerability.

This tabloid bridge in four does can certainly be very useful instead of a rubber when time presses or when one is anxious for a change of partner. In the first hand with East (say) as dealer nobody is vulnerable. If a part score is made it is carried on to the next hand. If a game is made it is scored below the line (as usual) and a game bonus of 300 is scored above the line. In the second hand, with South as dealer, North and South only are vulnerable and if they score a game (with or without the help of a part score) they get a (vulnerable) bonus of 500 above the line otherwise the third hand, with West as dealer, East and West only are vulnerable and score accordingly - the scoring being otherwise as before. In the fourth hand, with North as dealer, both sides are vulnerable and score accordingly. As a part score made on this hand cannot be carried forward it receives a bonus of 100 points above the line. Slam bonuses are scored in the ordinary way. Passed-out deals are re-dealt.

This game is about 40 per cent. higher than the ordinary rubber. There is a Dutch variation in which the part score is not carried on but receives a bonus of 50 points as in Duplicate. This Dutch variation makes a better balanced game because of the probable unequal vulnerability on the next hand. A bonus of 100 points would, however, better reflect the importance of a part score.

Readers are advised to experiment with this game - preferably the Dutch variety - and decide on its suitability. My own view is that it might be very suitable for small parties and small clubs where frequent changes of partners are desirable. The Dutch variety is really a Duplicate match of four hands while the American game combines the vulnerability cycle of Duplicate with the part-score hazard of rubber bridge. Honours are not counted in the Dutch game. Whether the playing of this "group" (is this a suitable name?) of four hands is largely adopted or not the "group" idea is a sound one because of its definite time limit (about 15 minutes) and because of its equal vulnerability.



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The Tonic A La Nuffield

Oxford, Oct. 11.
Lord Nuffield, head of the great Nuffield motor organisation, believes that the correct prescription for Britain's ailment is a tonic, "not further suppression."

Speaking on the eve of his 70th birthday, he said: "The patient needs encouragement to build him up, not consistent doses of austerity lidded out in a vicious measure."

"No one has ever promoted long-term cooperation and useful activity by creating an atmosphere of depression. Results are achieved by spreading the spirit of optimism and giving rewards for enterprise and work well done."

Lord Nuffield said that he never imagined that during his lifetime, he would see the freedom of the individual Briton "so wantonly repressed."

The nearest parallel had been in Germany and "I thought that the enlightened world had finished with all that in 1945."

—Reuter.

ROTARY CHIEF COMING

Manila, Oct. 11.

S. Kendrick Guernsey, President of Rotary International, is expected to arrive in Manila on Oct. 29 in the course of a world tour, the Manila Rotary announced today. He is accompanied by Mrs. Guernsey. They will visit Australia, Hawaii, and Hong Kong before coming to the Philippines, from Manila they will proceed to other Far Eastern countries.—United Press.

BRITISH FASCIST ON "PALE PINK PANSIES"

London, Oct. 11.
Edward Jeffrey Hamm, leader of the British League of ex-Servicemen and women, accused of "using insulting words at public meeting whereby a breach of the peace was likely to be occasioned," was remanded at the North London Court today until Oct. 18.

Hamm was arrested after a meeting of supporters of Sir Oswald Mosley, leader of the British Fascist movement, at suburban Dulton on Sept. 21.

The prosecution's case to-day was based on a transcript of Hamm's remarks, taken at the Dulton meeting by police stenographers.

"It appears from two speeches he made that Hamm was a supporter of Mosley and of Fascism and that he was anti-Jewish and anti-Communist," the prosecutor, Maurice Cowmp, said. "He uttered Communist as Jewish."

From the transcript of Hamm's speech, Cowmp said: "Communism is Jewish, the biggest swindle and trick that has ever been attempted... facts say that the Russian revolution meant that Russian workers and peasants are slaves of the Jews. Then Communism in Britain would mean that the British would soon become the complete slaves of the Jews. We are not having it here in Britain. We will fight to the death and never will you impose your Oriental, Asiatic creed of Communism upon us."

Hamm added: "The pale pink palpitating pansies who come down with long hair and painted toenails have been chanting 'We don't want Fascism.' I say we don't want Jewish Communism here!" —United Press and Reuter.

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Opening Up Ports To Trade

Nanking, Oct. 11.
Expressing great concern over China's "closed door policy," Lord Ammon, leader of the Parliamentary Mission to China, told a press conference this morning that "China could do a great deal to help herself by opening up her ports to foreign trade."

He added: "China, in closing her doors to foreign shipping, is not only shutting people out but shutting herself in."

Lord Ammon emphasized that many business concerns active in China before the war are willing to return and at once, but are prevented by China's economic policies.

Referring to the Sino-British trade agreement, Sir Ralph Stevenson, the British Ambassador, who was present at the conference, said that dealing difficulties in both China and Britain had retarded progress on this agreement.

He expressed the hope that the authorities in both countries would complete their work shortly.

Sympathy

Asked as to the feelings of the British people towards China's difficulties, Lord Ammon said that there is a great deal of sympathy for China in her present distress and a great deal of admiration for the role she played when standing alone in World War II.

The public reaction in the British press was that China had tried to settle her internal difficulties and try to rehabilitate herself, he continued.

The British public could only see the difficulty existing in China, and they felt that she could do much to help herself by receiving her present help at and export policy.

The 72-year old Labour Party veteran denied that the British Government had adopted a "watching and waiting" policy towards China.

The British Government is anxious to resume commercial relations with China, he added.

Asked about the feeling existing between Russia and Great Britain, Lord Ammon said it was still cordial as between friends. —Reuter.

AUSSIE HELP FOR BRITAIN

Sydney, Oct. 11.

Australia will be able to send Britain 150,000,000 bushels of wheat from the coming season, crop experts here estimated to-day.

Wheat agents in New South Wales supplied figures showing that this season's wheat harvest will probably exceed 100,000,000 bushels and exports have estimated that the total for the whole of Australia will be 230,000,000 bushels.—Reuter.

Glow-Suits On Beach

Brisbane, Oct. 11.

Your swimming season about over, but things are different here.

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BACON RATION TO BE CUT

London, Oct. 11.

Britain's bacon ration of two ounces a week is to be halved from Oct. 19 as a result of strikes in Canadian factories, the Ministry of Food announced tonight.

The announcement adds: "The strike of the Canadian bacon factories has now lasted six weeks. This has resulted in the almost complete stoppage of shipments of bacon to this country from Canada, which is our main source of supply." —Reuter.

British and American forces in Trieste have orders not to open fire on Tito's troops unless attacked.

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Inside Information

British Foreign Secretary Mr. Bevin is quite clear on one point of the Palestine problem. The British soldier is not going to be left to enforce a United Nations decision single handed.

Certain States, who have no intention of putting up a platoon, are quite happy to vote a resolution that may start an Arab war—just as States who do not trade with Spain about for a blockade of General Franco.

Russia claims all roads, railways, power stations and buildings built by the Nazis in Austria since 1938. That is why Sir George Rendel, of the British Foreign Service, is back from Vienna with nothing to show for four months' work.

Mr. Winston Churchill, at 72, is bristling again. Single-handed he is building a chicken house at Chartwell, his Kentish home.

One thousand semi-detached, prefabricated houses have been ordered by Britain from Czechoslovakia. The Czechs claim to know the secret of building a wooden house which is cool in summer and warm in winter. These will be sold for \$200 each. Some of the advance guard will be put up in the London area.

A Zionist leader has told a senior British official in Palestine that a Jewish State would prove a bulwark to Britain's vital long-term interests in the Middle East. He begged that if U.N.O. approved partition, Britain would stay to supervise it, and promised an all-out effort to check terrorism.

With more than thirty million angry Arabs on their doorstep, Zionists take a rosier view of Thomas Atkins.

Tough competition threaten the booming sale of British cars to Switzerland, who have bought over three thousand for more than £1,000,000 since January. Chrysler Motors, of America, are to set up a great assembly plant near Zurich.

One of the latest Germans to make a hasty exit from the Russian Zone into the American zone is a manager of a uranium mine production from which was not up to Soviet expectation.

Two "policemen," who have since tried to kidnap him, have been arrested by American constabulary.

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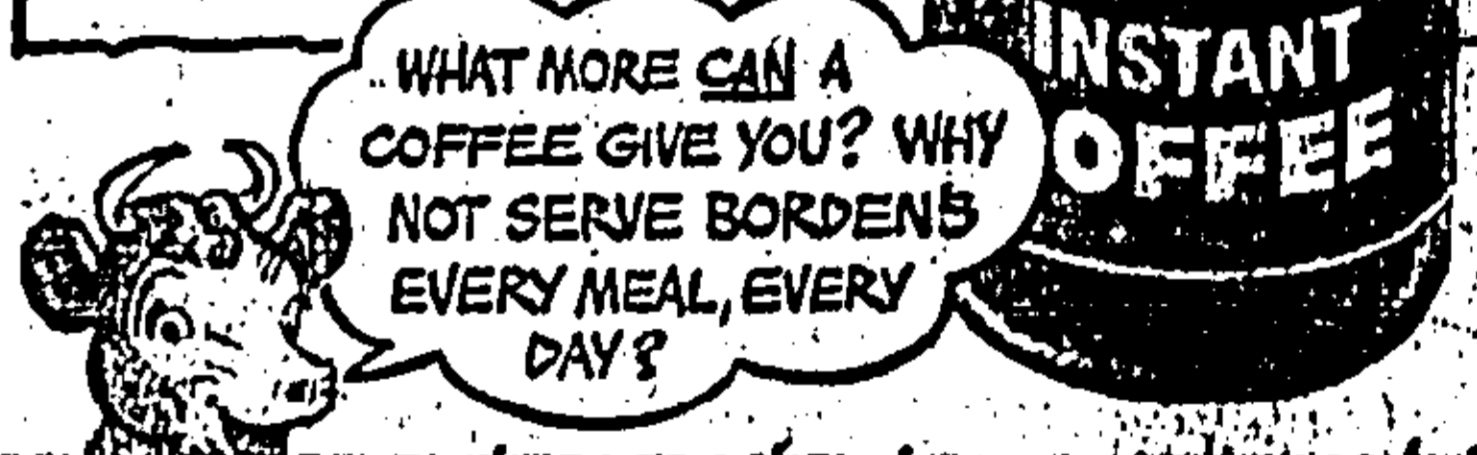
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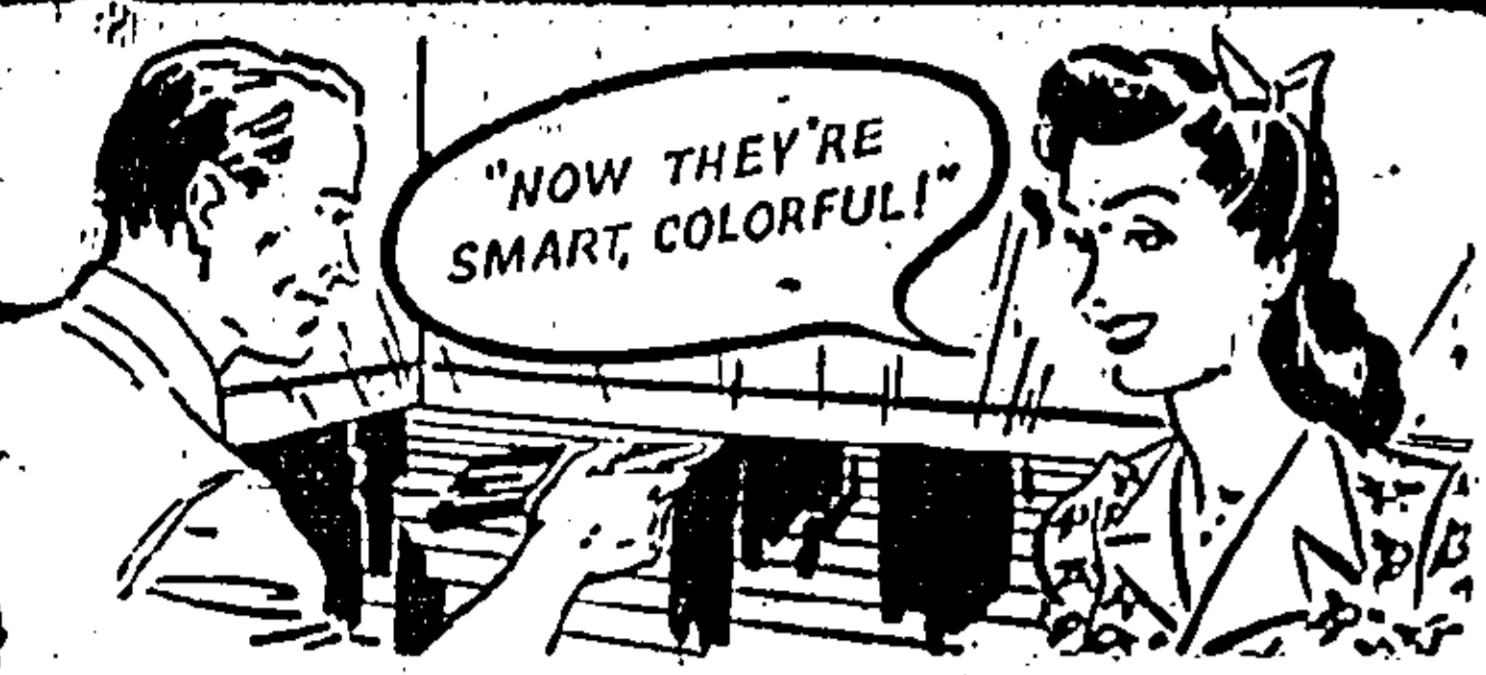
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SKYSCRAPERS AND RUBBLE

In his speech on the Government's revised export programme Sir Stafford Cripps opened by diagnosing the underlying causes of the present emergency. "Already in the inter-war years the productivity of the Western Hemisphere and of the United States of America in particular was outstripping that of the rest of the world, and as a consequence it was becoming more and more difficult for the rest of the world to balance their overseas payments with the Western Hemisphere."

This, with repeated references to "the condition of unbalance," "the unbalance in productivity," "exaggerated lack of balance," contains the implication that there is something almost unnatural in this state of affairs. There is the suggestion that the world cannot go on in this way, that it is a lopsided development which, if it does not violate the old economic principles, at least renders them inoperative or inapplicable in this juncture.

Outstripping

Now many of my contemporaries in my age-group have outstripped me in productivity, but no problem of unbalance or disequilibrium has thereby been created. They have had their standard of living: I have had mine. I have undoubtedly been outstripped by Sir Stafford Cripps, and no heterodox emergency measures have been required to meet the situation. When I see a picture of Sir Stafford wearing a "whacking big cheroot," I do not conclude sourly that there is something wrong in the balance of payments between us; on the contrary, I reflect philosophically that that is precisely how it works out.

What is true between individuals inside a country is true

between individuals in different countries, and is true between countries at large. One part of the world can outstrip the other in productivity without causing a disequilibrium in the world economy calling for drastic measures of correction, particularly from the area doing the outstripping. We should be the last people to complain about this sort of development or to regard it as "unnatural," since for several centuries we took the lead in outstripping. Suppose that in 1850 the President of the Spanish or the Turkish Board of Trade had drawn attention to the fact that production in Britain had for long been outstripping production in their respective countries, and that this was making it more and more difficult for them to balance their payments with Britain. What would our hard-bitten grandfathers have said? They would have pointed to the fact that the balance of payments seemed to be adjusting itself very neatly to the development, and they would have concluded that they did not feel called upon to do anything exceptional in the matter. And they would have been right, because Britain went on with her outstripping for the next 60 years, while the Spanish and Turkish economies remained relatively, if not positively, stagnant.

It Can Happen Here

"The world cannot endure half skyscraper and half rubble," declared Mr. McCloy, the President of the International Bank. A striking phrase, with a generous thought behind it. Unfortunately, it is not true, and this country and the rest

of Europe had better wake up to the fact. Civilisations have grown up with increasing strength contemporaneously with the decay of civilisations in other areas. Large parts of the Middle East, reverberated with rubble and desert, while Europe was growing in wealth and power. And Europe itself had a tolerable civilisation in 1402 when it was almost fully unaware that a whole continent to the West was peopled only by a few savages. If the Western Hemisphere now chose to pretend that the Eastern had never been discovered, it could run an exclusively Western economy with considerable success.

There has been some angry criticism of convertibility on the grounds that it translated into limousines and mink coats, convertibility or non-convertibility, the balance of payments will in the end balance, and if the productivity of the Western Hemisphere continues to outstrip that of the Eastern, that is where the limousines, mink coats and lesser manifestations of wealth will increasingly go. The world cannot endure half mink and half rag! Can't it? Take a look at history and survey mankind from China to Peru.

These melancholy reflections are not merely autumnal brooding, but derive from the simple fact that the European standard of life did not come down from Sinai, with a guarantee of its maintenance until the day of judgment. It is not increasing productivity elsewhere but decreasing productivity here that will hasten its decline.

SCHOOL FOR IMMIGRANTS

I have just seen re-enacted in a small Jewish colony outside Oran, Algeria, the twentieth century version of the preparations of the Israelites for their flight from Egypt to the Promised Land.

This is a record of fanatical concentration and constructive effort, a change from the stories of terrorism which have recently clouded the Palestinian scene and blurred the outlook of the most objective reporters.

This is a story which ought to be told, because it brings out

By G. D. K. McCORMICK

something which has not been revealed before—how hope has been born out of despair.

This business of immigration, far from being a haphazard affair, is planned to the minutest detail.

Hostile Reception

The Jewish colony at Oran is more than a transit camp for illegal immigrants. It is a school where citizenship is carefully taught, and where the principles of civilisation are thoroughly explained.

I was received at the camp with a good deal of hostility and suspicion, and it was only through a friend's help that I was permitted to see round it at all.

But I gathered from those refugees with whom I spoke that they were anxious that the constructive side of their work should receive publicity.

Direction of labour in the Hagannah-organised Jewish immigrant camps is more thorough than anywhere else in the world, save perhaps Soviet Russia.

The immigrants are carefully chosen from all walks of life with the aim of forming balanced communities. In some cases Jews are ordered to leave their jobs and homes by Hagannah.

Priority For Mothers

Expectant mothers are high on the priority list for direction. The organisers always have an eye for the future and population development is one of the main planks in their programme.

"We try to aim at assembling a complete community so that on arrival in Palestine it is ready to tackle every possible problem that may arise. The quota of doctors, technicians, engineers, schoolteachers, carpenters and other specialised workers is strictly maintained," a camp official told me.

All day long during the often tedious wait for ships the task of making the refugees civil-minded goes on. While I was there a blackboard lesson on hydraulics was being given by an engineer.

In another part of the camp women were being given instruction in child welfare. The qualifications of every refugee are listed, and broadcast appeals for people with some type of specialised knowledge are repeatedly made. One such appeal made while I was there was for a shorthand writer to take down radio news so that the community might have a daily news sheet.

Conditions in this camp were hard and primitive, but a relief organisation called Hozar Dalim

Compelled To Go

Discipline was really remarkable, and in this respect the choice of leaders had been admirable. But at the same time there was a hint of totalitarian police methods which revealed that sentiment had very little place in this twentieth century attempt to create a new State.

It had the distinct impression that some of the refugees had been cowed into submission. There is no doubt that some of them had been forced by threats to give up homes and jobs in Central Europe, apart from that, it is not perhaps generally realised that a large percentage of these illegal immigrants are not genuine refugees at all. They have been compelled to make the hazardous blockade-running trip to Palestine against their own will. Some of them will be far worse off in Palestine than they were in Europe.

On the other hand there are many exiles who have gladly sacrificed jobs for this great experiment.

The community I visited had a complete organisation for creating a new township on arrival. The engineers knew exactly what they had to do, establish water and sanitary services. Even a post office and a community theatre had been planned.

Need Chance

Whatever one may think of the organisations behind these refugees, one can only hope the immigrants themselves will ultimately have a chance to put their ambitious schemes into action and to establish peaceful, well-ordered communities.

But as each new batch of arrivals wells, these wandering legions it would seem that political considerations apart, their difficulties are growing. In these days of world shortages conditions are not ideal for mass immigration. Starvation and disease are going to be their enemies.

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 - C. Action Pictures
 - D. Animals and Pets
 - E. For Children Only (Age limit 15 years).
5. The competition will run for a period of nine weeks commencing with the week ending October 4, and terminating during the week ending November 29, and the Newspaper Enterprise Limited will award monthly prizes of \$50, \$25, and \$10. On completion of the term of the competition, prizes of \$50, \$25, and \$10 will be awarded in each Section. The three best pictures entered will be awarded the Grand Prizes of \$250, \$100, and \$50.
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8. Judging of the three Grand Prizes to be chosen by popular vote, following an exhibition to be held in December.

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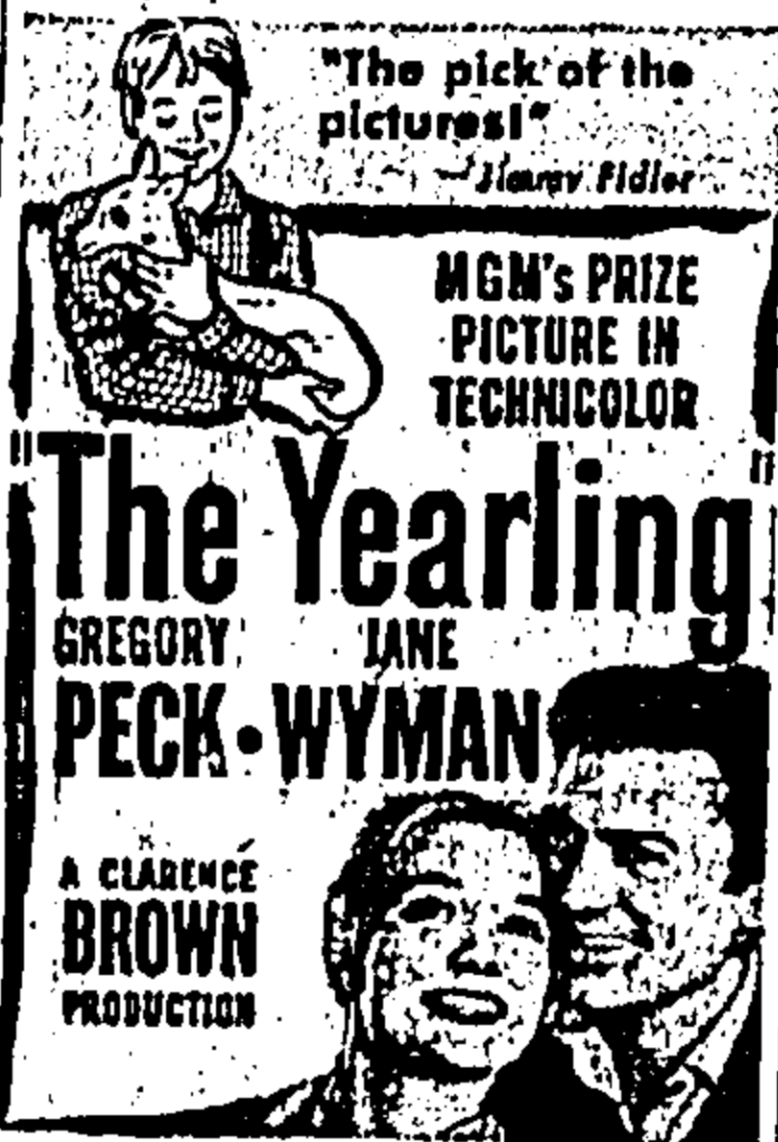
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BRITISH DOUBLE TENTH MESSAGE TO THE CHINESE

Country's Part In World Peace

Shanghai, Oct. 10.

"An earnest hope that the coming year may see China finding a way out of her troubles" was expressed by Sir Ralph Stevenson, the British Ambassador, in a message of goodwill and good wishes to the Chinese people on the occasion of the Double Tenth today.

He added that a just solution of the problems which at present beset China would not only bring security and prosperity to the Chinese people "but would increase her power and influence for right and justice in the world."

The Ambassador, whose message was splashed in the Double Tenth supplement of the China Press, a local Chinese-owned independent newspaper, said that as a friend of China and her brave people, "it is my firm conviction that China has a vital part to play in the preservation of peace of the world and those liberties of life and thought and conscience for which we, in the West, and you, in the East, have struggled and suffered so long."

Covers Off Atom News

London, Oct. 11.

Britain is taking the covers off more information about the atom.

A second list of 25 reports from the Government's secret files on atomic energy and related subjects has just been released here by the Ministry of Supply.

A first list, containing 75 reports, was released in March, copies being obtainable on loan by interested responsible workers.

The new reports are issued in the form of enlarged prints from micro-films, or as an alternative, films could be supplied if desired.

The copyright of all such documents is vested in the Crown, and copies may not be made, nor extracts published without permission.

The Ministry of Supply says that it is hoped that the British Stationery Office will also be in a position shortly to supply documents of American origin on Atomic Energy, and applications for these will be considered.

The reports now released are dated from June, 1939 up to March, 1947.—Associated Press.

CUSTOMS CHECKUP AT SOUTHAMPTON

Liverpool, Oct. 11.

There were scenes of confusion at the Prince's landing stage in Liverpool today when more than 3,000 passengers, mostly troops, began to disembark from the Empress of Scotland for customs examination and transport.

This was the largest checkup of troops' baggage so far undertaken. Crowds of servicemen, civilians and children became mixed up in the roadway, with scores of taxis, army baggage lorries, private cars and coaches, and there were continual jams.

Although every serviceman had to pass customs officers few were asked to open their baggage. They had been warned that if they "played the game" officers would be reasonable.—Reuter.

PARIS' GIFT FOR THE PRINCESS

Paris, Oct. 11.

The city of Paris will give Britain's Princess Elizabeth a dressing case as a wedding present, it was announced today.

Henri Verneille, head of the city council, will present the case to the British Ambassador, Mr. Alfred Duff Cooper, next week.

The tortoise-shell case is described as "a work of art of the Parisian luxury industry." Each of its objects will contain the city's coat of arms in gold.—Associated Press.

The Germans Can Travel

Berlin, Oct. 11.

Though you may not travel abroad, some Germans are finding it quite easy to do so, thanks to the Oxford Group Movement which decided to hold a sort of confessional jamboree in Gaux, Switzerland.

Fifty-four Germans from the British Zone successfully applied for permission to attend this course run by Mr. Frank Buchman.

These pious pilgrims have received exit permits for one month, and their expenses will be paid either by friends in Switzerland or by the Oxford Group Movement.

An official told me that he and his colleagues had no idea why these people were allowed to travel abroad, but orders to that effect were received from above. Normally, only health reasons or those of business in which the Allies are interested are accepted for travel to Germany.—Our Own Correspondent.

WALLACE'S BELIEF

New Haven, Connecticut, Oct. 11.

Former Vice-President Henry Wallace expressed the belief today that a Republican ticket with General Dwight Eisenhower as presidential nominee and Harold Stassen as his running mate could win the 1948 election "overwhelmingly."

He said the Eisenhower-Stassen ticket could carry all but nine states against any opposition.—Associated Press.

U.S. "IMPERIALISM" IN FAR EAST

Lake Success, Oct. 11.

Russia today commenced an attack in the United Nations on United States policy in Japan.

The Soviet Union charged that "reactionary forces are feverishly working on the restoration of the industrial power of Japan."

The attack was delivered in the General Assembly's Economic Committee by the Soviet delegate, A. Arutunian, who charged that in Asia the United States is working to rebuild Japan's war potential while in Europe, American policy seeks to build up Germany.

Arutunian charged that "for this purpose a theory is invented that unless Japan's economy is restored the war-stricken countries of Asia and the Far East cannot be restored. This is the pretext under which the war industrial potential of Japanese militarism is being revived."

"In Asia the same is happening as in Europe where, in accordance with the Marshall Plan, they want to restore the war industrial potential of Germany in the Ruhr."

"Imperialism"

The Soviet spokesman charged that American Far Eastern policy would lead to the "restoration of an economic basis of imperialism in the Far East under American direction."

He claimed that American policy was threatening the movement of Asiatic peoples for national liberation and constituted a "threat to their sovereign rights—a fresh attempt to keep these countries in the position of agricultural and raw material appendages of industrially developed countries of the homeland."

Arutunian also bitterly attacked the Marshall plan "in Europe and contended that the United Nations' European Economic Commission was facilitating the dismemberment of Germany through independent dealings with various Allied zones in Germany."

He said such dealings were illegal and a violation of the Big Four agreement under which the Allied Control Council was established in Berlin.—United Press.

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Catholics And Mercy Killings

London, Oct. 11.

A warning to physicians not to allow their profession to be degraded "so that they become state executioners," was issued today by Bernard, Cardinal Griffin, Archbishop of Westminster, in a condemnation of euthanasia.

Speaking at the opening of the medical school at the Queen Elizabeth Hospital at Birmingham, the Cardinal declared:

"No one has the right to take his own life, nor allow others to take it for him. This is an inflexible rule of ethics and moral law. This rule was made by God, and it is man's duty to observe it and see it is not broken."

Pointing out that the Nazis had prescribed euthanasia and sterilisation of the unfit, Cardinal Griffin said:

"The world knows of the horrible crimes committed by them against innocent victims, both in hospital camps and concentration camps... the state has no right whatever even to legalize voluntary euthanasia or voluntary sterilisation, because such practices are against the laws of God."

"Even statesmen have a duty to obey God's laws," the Cardinal added.—Reuter.

And Now The Antidote

Mexico City, Oct. 11.

You would hardly think it a gesture of international friendship for one country to send to another the very worst pest it knows. But such is the case known as cactus stingers which are en route to South Africa from Mexico via Houston, Texas, and New York.

Not only are the Mexicans glad to see the beetles go, but the South Africans are said to be delighted at their advent.

Some time ago a quantity of the plant known as nopal cactus arrived in South Africa from Mexico. It is a low-growing plant with thorny pads, bears bright red buds and its fruit is a delicacy. Incidentally, it appears in the centre of the Mexican flag.

But it is not good for cattle and spoils pasture land. So the South Africans sent an expert hunting for something to get rid of it and, just as Mexico provided the cactus, so she now provides the antidote—the insects called cactus stingers, which thrive on the shrub and consequently destroy it. It is hoped that these bugs will drive the original pest out of Africa.—Our Own Correspondent.

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RENT CONTROL

Publication yesterday of the list of persons composing the revised Tenancy Tribunal panel furnishes at least one ground for assurance and satisfaction. The recent appeal for volunteers willing to undertake this somewhat thankless task of adjudication obviously met with an encouraging response, and the new list is sufficiently lengthy to offer prospects of a more expeditious handling of applications under the Rents Ordinance, which are now four or five months in arrears. It may be hoped, as a result, that an end will be brought to the abuse of the Tribunal machinery by individuals who have made use of it solely for the purpose of gaining time, acquiring months of immunity from legal redress. The net gain, however, is problematical while such a relatively minor tightening up in administration is not accompanied by indications that Government is keeping the problem of rent control under constant review. What we should have liked to have seen at the same time as the gazetting of the new panel was an acknowledgment of the fact that the Ordinance is still being flouted, right and left by the ordering of fresh impediments, and the taking of new powers of enforcement. While the Ordinance which succeeded the Landlord and Tenant Proclamation did much to clear up many loose ends, and while it clarified the means by which victims of the acute housing shortage might discover their remedy, not only do wide loopholes remain, but the absence of any sign of active official interest in securing observance of the law is direct invitation to evasion. In the result, the key money racket goes on unchecked, sub-tenants in tenement blocks are still mercilessly squeezed, and hundreds of persons are still housed in hotel rooms at ruinous expense and, meanwhile, are losing the benefits of normal family and social life. This goes on, incidentally, while a number of flats remain empty, habitable but uninhabited, flats which are likely to remain empty until such time as the landlord can find a desperate individual with money enough to pay a fantastic premium and an exorbitant monthly rental. We doubt the existence of any other civilised part of the world where this state of affairs would be countenanced. The English emergency law, is, for instance, clear enough. When premises become vacant for any reason, the landlord is given a fortnight or so to find a new tenant, and should he fail to do so, the local authority (without "criminal acquiescence") provides him with a tenancy and also fixes the rental. By the way, the suggestion that the severity of conditions in England justify extreme measures of this kind, is a denial of the necessity of installing similar powers in Hong Kong. The difference is merely that the Hong Kong Government takes a more casual view of its responsibilities. Likewise with the steps provided for curbing the activities of the principal tenant. All over England in recent months, tribunals have been investigating complaints of sub-tenants against excessive rentals for furnished rooms and divided houses, and in a large percentage of cases have ordered drastic reductions. It is true that the Hong Kong Ordinance contains provisions which invite complaints, but it is significant that few if any have been presented to the Tenancy Tribunal. The reason is not easy to discover. Partly, the reluctance stems from the expense of litigation, and partly from a fear, sometimes justified, that a successful application for reduction would be countered by reprisals designed to make intolerable continued residence in the house or flat. Beyond that, and we think it is equally important, is the fact that the legal processes involved are cumbersome, and wasteful of time and money, and

THE NEW SESSION OF PARLIAMENT

By Ernest Atkinson

London, Oct. 8. With but a fortnight to go before the reassembly of Parliament the British Government is about to begin the last stage of making ready its legislative programme for the new session. Final details cannot be settled until Mr. Hugh Dalton, Chancellor of the Exchequer, has decided whether or not it is necessary to have an autumn budget. The Treasury is understood to have been making studies of possible changes in taxation; but these are for guidance only and to be ready should the Chancellor decide that fiscal changes are necessary to accompany the changes in controls over industry and manpower now being made under the general direction of Sir Stafford Cripps in his new post of Minister for Economic Affairs.

Arguments For And Against

Among the arguments for a budget before Christmas there is this—that the Chancellor should do what he can to anticipate any possible further inflationary pressure brought on by the fact that higher wages will be paid for longer hours in industries taking their part in the export drive, while there will be far fewer goods for the home market on which to spend the money. It is argued against that, in favour of waiting until the normal time for a budget next April, that by then it would be possible to judge more clearly the effects and extent of the inflationary trend, how much more money and how much less goods there were in the home market and to what extent the programmes of spending on capital goods has in fact been modified. There is going on now

a review of the capital investment programme both public and private. Sir Stafford Cripps has said that execution of the export programme might mean a cut in capital investment of about £200,000,000. There is the further but secondary argument against having an autumn budget that it would mean some check to the Government's legislative programme. For an extra Finance Bill would take up a good deal of Parliamentary time. It could scarcely avoid being controversial. Presumably it would propose increases in taxes on profits—some have spoken also of a possible tax on capital appreciation—to accompany the larger taxes that the workpeople would be paying out of increased earnings.

Morrison's Responsibility

When the Chancellor's decision is made, there will be something like a week left in which the final lines of the King's speech, containing the Government's legislative proposals for the coming year, can be drawn. Responsibility here rests chiefly on Mr. Herbert Morrison, who in the Government reorganisation that Mr. Attlee has made is now free to devote more of his time to leadership of the House of Commons. It is for him to say how much new law making Parliament can be asked to do in the new session, given the amount of routine work of finance bills and so on, that must in any case be done. He and his colleagues are known to share the view that it would be well if possible not to drive Parliament so hard as it was driven—despite Opposition protests—last session. There is a feeling, too, that there should

be more emphasis this coming session on social reform. Encouraged by this, good hopes are entertained for the bringing forward at least of a big measure of penal reform, which had to be postponed in view of the heavy burden of nationalisation and other Bills last session. Such a measure has been introduced into Parliament before the war but it could not be completed under war conditions. There is also a strong likelihood that a bill will be brought forward to tidy up the last vestiges of the old Poor Laws—a task made necessary by the recent legislation on social services.

Nationalisation Measures

Nationalisation measures, in general expectation, are unlikely to take up anything like so high a proportion of Parliament's time next year as last. There remains, of the programme set out in the Labour Party's election manifesto, the nationalisation of the iron and steel industries and of the production and distribution of gas. The common assumption is that the nationalisation of iron and steel will be put off until the 1948-49 session. The gas industry scheme is given a slightly better chance.

These are some of the questions that will have to be decided in the next fortnight. The Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee, will face the House of Commons with a re-shaped work of finance bills and so on, that must in any case be done. He and his colleagues are known to share the view that it would be well if possible not to drive Parliament so hard as it was driven—despite Opposition protests—last session. There is a feeling, too, that there should

PERSONALLY SPEAKING

By Margaret Bradbury

I hear that a novelty ball is to be held in the Gripps on November 23 in a bid to raise much-needed funds for the Boys and Girls' Ascent. This organisation provides food, education and recreation clubs for destitute boys in the Colony. Mrs. Betty Church and Mrs. Violet Chan, who have formed a committee of 25 women to organise the ball, plan to include a mannequin parade complete with silk stocking display, attractive hostesses and champagne kiosks. The entire first floor of the Hotel has been booked for the occasion including the Jacobean room which will be used as the bar.

If all goes well, GNAC say they will shortly start a new weekly airline run from Shanghai to Batavia via Hong Kong, Bangkok, Saigon and Singapore. Costs will rate at equivalent to other airlines running the same schedule. Other future GNAC plans include resuming their previous service to Hanoi, and running a regular flight to Tokyo.

Known to hundreds of cross-harbour travellers before the war, the "Golden Star" ferry will be back in service soon, and on her is nearly completed. After long and difficult salvage operations, the "Golden Star" was brought to surface some time ago from a point off Boca Tigris where she had been sunk. Layout of this ferry will be entirely different from others at present in service, said a Company spokesman yesterday. More seating accommodation will be provided, though the number of passengers carried will not alter, while the main aisle will run down the centre of the ferry. The Electric Star, newest ferry owned by the Company just before the occupation, is also

under reconstruction and Diesel engines are now being awaited from England. When there are fitted the Electric Star will also be put back into regular service.

The first postwar goodwill flight by foreign civil aircraft was made to Canton on Friday when three Flying Training School aircraft flew there in token of the National holiday. The Double Tenth, previous permission for the aircraft to land at Canton had been obtained by the air Company from Nanjing.

In celebration of the Double Tenth anniversary, Mr. T. W. Kwok and Mrs. Kwok entertained a large number of guests at a cocktail party in their home on Friday. Among those present were military, air and naval chiefs and prominent Government officials and their wives. Also present were Lieutenant-General V. A. H. Sturdee and Sir Donald Banks, Chairman of the Anglo-Chinese Chamber of Commerce.

Lieut. General V. A. H. Sturdee, Chief of the General Staff of the Australian Army, who has been paying a short visit to Hong Kong, leaves today by civil aircraft for Singapore. The General has been visiting Commonwealth Forces in Japan. He has been in the 19th century. General Sturdee was born in Australia and his home is in Melbourne. He has spent most of his life as a soldier, having joined as a Regular at the age of 21.

Sir Donald Banks, Chairman of the Anglo-Chinese Chamber of Commerce, who arrived here on Wednesday in the BOAC aircraft from London, leaves on Tuesday for Hong Kong. Sir Donald is visiting China on behalf of his organization. He was guest of honour at a large dinner in the Hong Kong Hotel, Garden given by the Anglo-Chinese Economic Asso. on Thursday evening.

Miss "Tuppy" Grice, the elder daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Grice of Trent, has just passed through the Colony on her way from England to spend a holiday with her parents in Tientsin. Miss Grice is a medical student in England and is now taking the usual three months' vacation. Dr. Grice is a well-known surgeon in Tientsin and he and Mrs. Grice together with their younger daughter were interned at the Wei Hsien camp in Shanghai during the occupation.

Among passengers leaving in the M. V. "Boisvieux" for a round trip to Singapore are Mr. W. H. P. Coates, manager of the B.A.T. in Hong Kong, and Mrs. Coates; Mr. Coates is at present in England on an appendicitis operation. Mr. E. J. Schmidt, of the Chant Bank here, is also making the return trip. The "Boisvieux" is due back in Hong Kong in a couple of weeks.

On Thursday, Mrs. de Schultze and her daughter left Hong Kong by Pan American Airways plane for Shanghai to join Mr. de Schultze after a short stay in Shanghai and Japan. The de Schultzes' family plan to fly to the U.S.A. before returning to their home in Zurich.

American author Mr. J. W. Bennett, who has been paying a short visit to Hong Kong, accompanied by Mrs. Bennett, sailed Friday for Japan in the "Temple". The Bennetts will eventually proceed to Europe with a view to collecting material for future publication. Up to the present, Mr. Bennett has written eight novels and numerous short stories and articles for American magazines and newspapers, all dealing with China. He first arrived in this country in 1919 when he came out as American vice-consul in Shanghai and became so entangled in China that he resigned his post in favour of writing about it. Mrs. Bennett, who was paying her first visit to Hong Kong told me: "I think I have ever the most beautiful place I have ever seen. I hope to return here in a couple of years' time."

Mr. Wayne Richardson, Hong Kong representative of the Associated Press, left by Cathay Pacific aircraft on Friday for Singapore on holiday. He expects to return here in two weeks time.

Mr. J. R. Jones, legal adviser of the Hong Kong Bank, left yesterday by BOAC aircraft for Singapore. Mr. Jones is making a short business trip and will be returning by air within two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Latimer will be taking a short holiday—their first in two years—on Friday. They are when they are leaving Hong Kong for Formosa. This will be Mr. and Mrs. Latimer's first visit to the island and they are both looking forward to a great deal of the trip.

Mr. F. Robinson of the Chase Bank, who has arrived back in the Colony with Mrs. Robinson after a short holiday in Shanghai.

Mr. F. W. (George) Foster, of MacKinnon, MacKinnon, returned with Mrs. Foster, in the "Shanghai" from Shanghai. Mr. Foster has been in Shanghai since the end of last year. During the war he was interned in Hong Kong. He was accompanied by Mrs. Foster, who is making her home in Hong Kong after living for many years in Shanghai.

MEN, WOMEN AND MEMORIES

By ATTICUS

I rejoice that after all these years Mr. de Valera has paid us a visit. No one could be more courteous in his reception of Englishmen in Dublin, the latest of whom was Mr. Eden. Indeed, whenever an English visitor to Dublin has an appointment with Mr. de Valera, Irish opponents will say with a sigh "Ah, you will fall to Dev's charm."

The warning is not inopportune. In negotiation Mr. de Valera is tenacious to the point of obstinacy, but the charm is there. And it works. I saw him last three months after the war. I was told that he could give me only twenty minutes. He kept me for two hours.

His office is ornamented with portraits of the first Cabinet of the Irish Free State. He showed them to me with pride and gave a succinct biography of each man. He finished with the portrait of Arthur Griffith, with whom he had never seen eye to eye. He paused and said to me gently: "A great Empire like Britain can afford to have both a Prime Minister and a Foreign Secretary, but in a small country the head of the Government should always keep foreign affairs in his own hands."

I had the impression that this quiet man had all the affairs of the Irish Government in his own hands.

"No Action"

When I saw him, he was in trouble. The Gaelic League had criticised him severely for having been present at a party at which there was modern dancing, for it had passed a resolution forbidding Ministers to attend parties at which there was modern dancing, and sports grounds at which games other than Irish were played. Knowing that Mr. de Valera had been a more than useful "Rugger" player in his youth, I asked him what action he proposed to take. He replied: "None at all."

energy. Here, too, Government seems to be confronted with the necessity for devising some simplification of procedure. That a need should exist to offer inducement to the victimised to state their case borders, undoubtedly, on the ludicrous. But this admission does not necessarily absolve those in authority from protecting the foolish from the consequences of their follies.

I was impressed. I was still more impressed when at the annual meeting a little later of the League, without fuss or fuss, a new committee was elected. Those members who had attacked Mr. de Valera disappeared, and the new committee rescinded the resolution.

Sir Frederick Bain

In a rapid generalisation I should say that Sir Frederick Bain, the President of the F.B.I., who left England in May, at the instance of Mr. Bevin and Sir Stafford Cripps, to visit the United States, Canada and Australia, has come back enthusiastic about Australia, very well satisfied with Canada, and a little uncertain of what the attitude of the United States is going to be during the disturbing months of next year's presidential election.

He had rather more than the usual list of adventures on land and sea and in the air. One of his pleasantest meetings resulted from a telegram which he received on the train soon after he left Vancouver. It ran: "If you are the Freddie Bain of the Fourth Gordons whose arm I took off in the Ypres salient on December 24, 1915, get off the train and spend the night with me at Kamloops."

Sir Frederick got off, spent the night at Kamloops, and swapped his Gordon tie for a handsome Canadian Elks tie with the Canadian burgoon who had operated on him and whom he had not seen for 20 years. It was the loss of his arm which took Sir Frederick into chemical warfare in 1917 and, indirectly, to his present high position in Imperial Chemicals.

Bevin Boys

In the space of Foreign Office appointments, caused by the ratification of the peace treaties with ex-enemy countries, two are of special interest. At the early age of 42 Mr. Elston John Dixon ("Bob") to his friends, becomes Ambassador to Prague, and Mr. Frank Roberts, not yet 40, succeeds Mr. Dixon in the key post of principal private secretary to Mr. Bevin.

Both these young men—that is, young as diplomats go—are essentially Bevin boys. Mr. Dixon, I state, without reference to mileage but with complete confidence, holds the long-distance record for travel both

for Ministers and officials. His travelling began in the early spring of 1941, when he accompanied Mr. Eden to the Middle East. Since then he has attended almost every foreign conference. Mr. Roberts, now Charge d'Affaires in Moscow, is a remarkable linguist and a glutton for work.

Those who believe that great brains are made up in small packets will derive satisfaction from these appointments. Both men are of diminutive, scruffy half build. Indeed, Mr. Roberts, a pocket athlete, received a trial in this capacity at Cambridge.

The change-over will not take place until the end of the year, because Mr. Bevin feels that without his favourite boy he cannot face the November meeting with Mr. Marshall and, above all, Mr. Molotov. Few Foreign Secretaries would like to be bereft of Mr. Dixon, who is a model of modesty, tact, scholarship, wisdom and strength of character.

The Two Germanies

I hear from American journalistic friends that Congress delegations visiting Germany

were melted into sentimentalism by the terrible conditions in which the Germans are now living. One Congressman—a Republican—is said to have declared that, if he had to live on such a margin of near-starvation, he himself would become a Communist before long.

Such a reaction is what one would expect from any unformed man of good will who, whatever his party may be, visits a foreign country for a few days and assumes that, by finding what he wanted to see, he has acquired expert knowledge. I hope that undue sympathy will not be reflected in the Congressmen's report.

For there are two Germanies and two types of German, as the following story—incidentally, told me by a German—shows. Two Germans meet. The first says pessimistically: "Well, Albrecht, how are you getting on under this beautiful democratic sun?" And Albrecht replies with optimism: "Not so bad, my dear Hans; first one goes Red and then one goes Brown."

Longer Hours For Miners Agreed

London, Oct. 11.

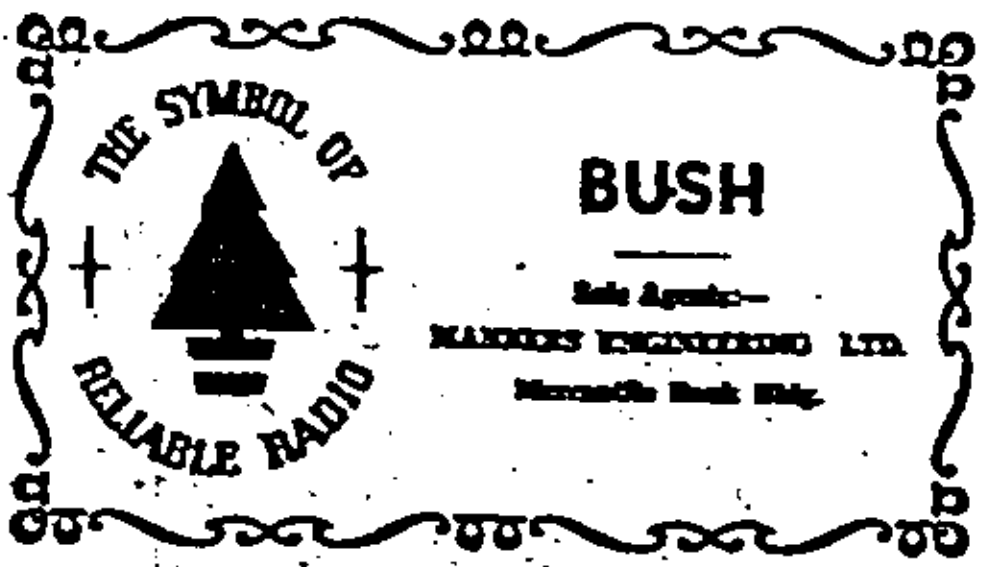
A delegate conference of the National Union of Mineworkers today unanimously recommended miners to accept an agreement for an increase in Britain's coal production, worked out by the Union's Executive and the National Coal Board, the controller of Britain's nationalised mines.

If accepted in individual coal fields, where a ballot will be taken, this will mean either half an hour extra work a day or extra shifts on at least two Saturdays for six months, beginning the first week in November.

Exempted from the agreement are areas where local representatives of the Coal Board and the miners' Union decide that "stand-ance" and output per man shift under the five day week are not yet good enough to take the risk of introducing extra work.

The Conference passed no comment on the replacement of Mr. Emanuel Shrivver by Mr. Hugh Galskell as Minister of Fuel and Power, and the Union's President, Mr. Will Lawther, pointedly stated in reply to a question after the Conference that it was not for the miners to determine the composition of the Government, and that they hoped to work with Mr. Galskell as well as they did with Mr. Shrivver.

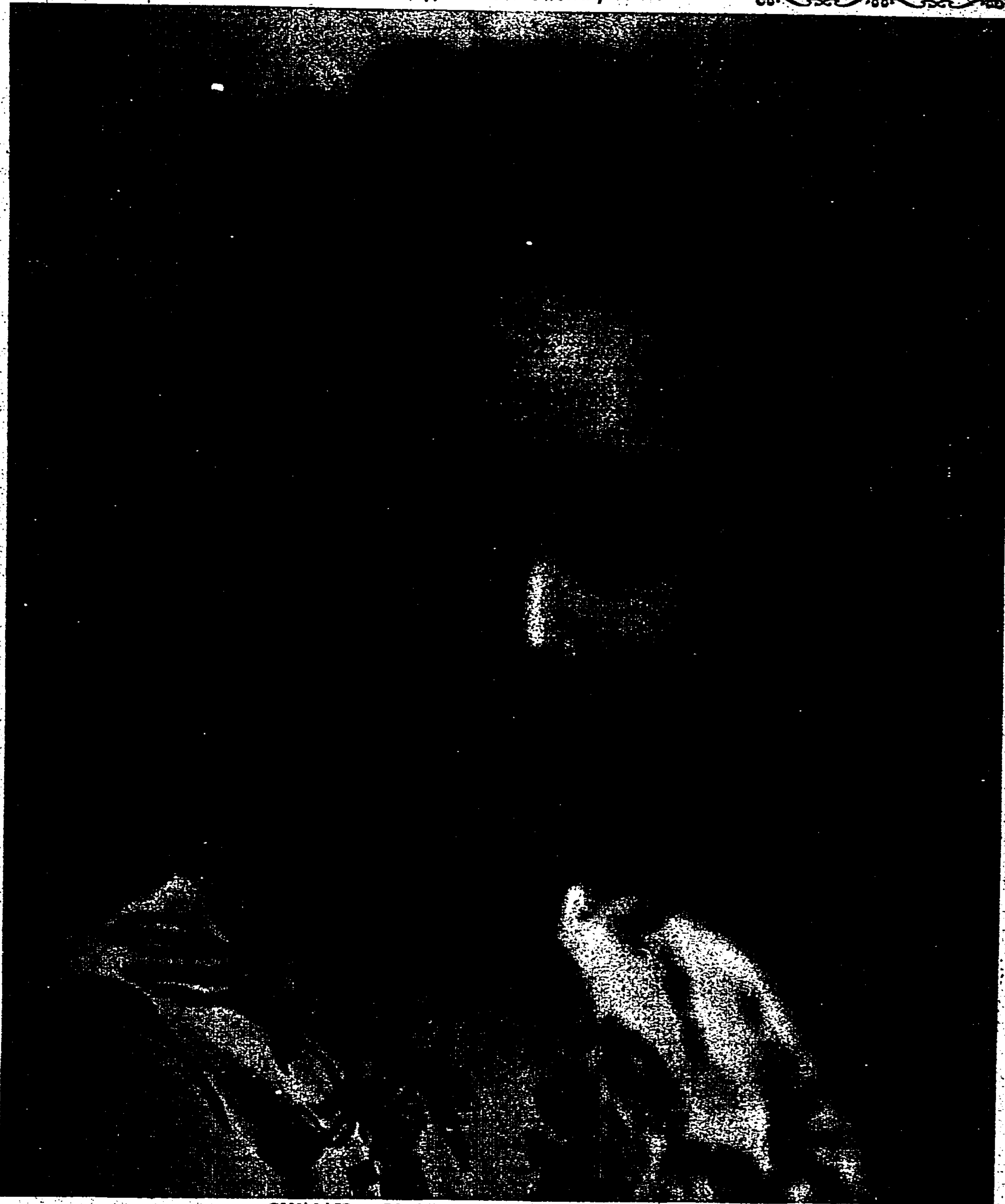
This was taken as implying a rebuke to the General Secretary of the Union, Mr. Arthur Horner, and the Scottish Area Secretary, Mr. Alastair Moffat, both members of the Communist Party, who, on the eve of the Cabinet reshuffle, publicly stated that removal of Mr. Shrivver from his post would alienate the miners' sympathies. —Reuter.



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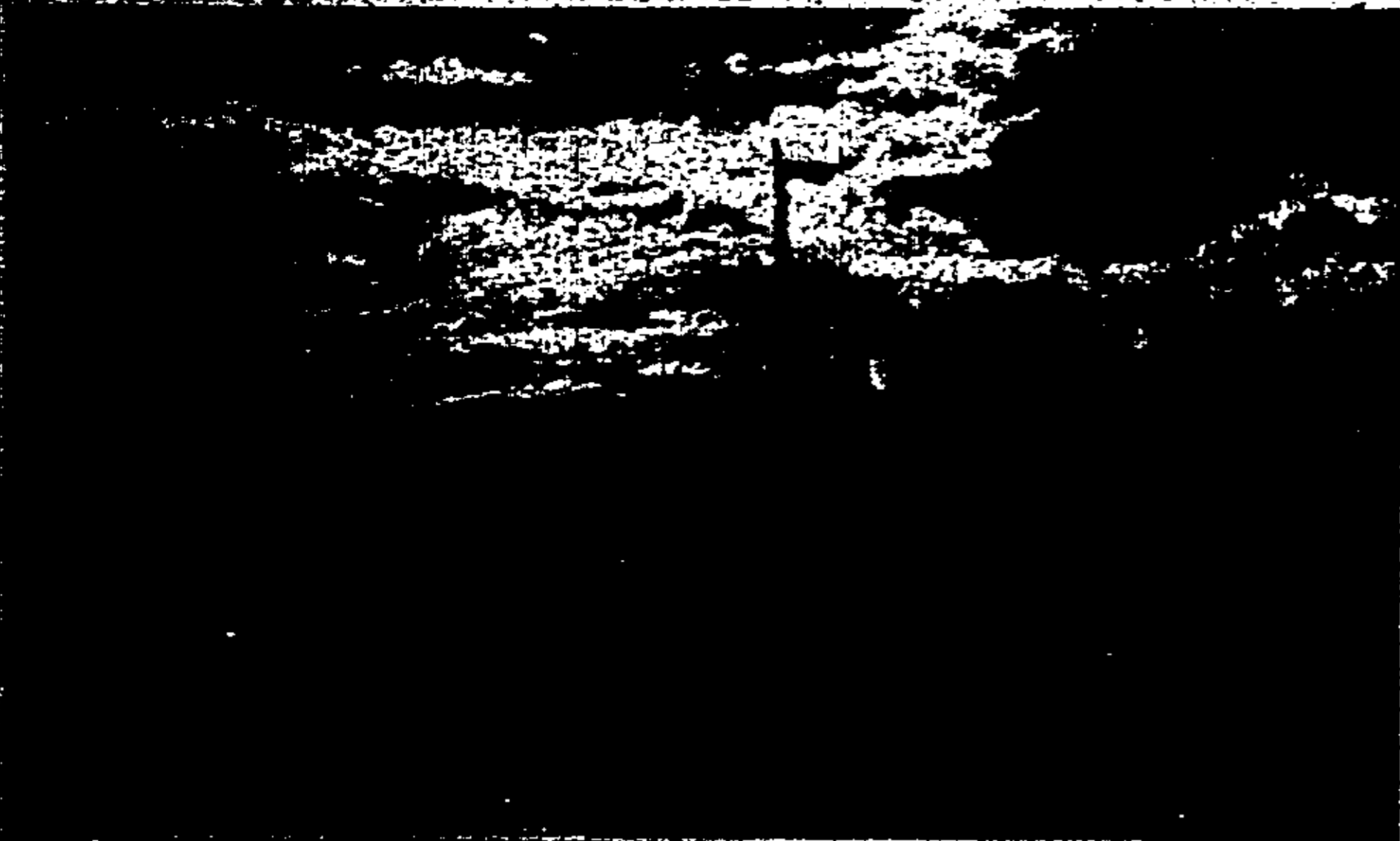
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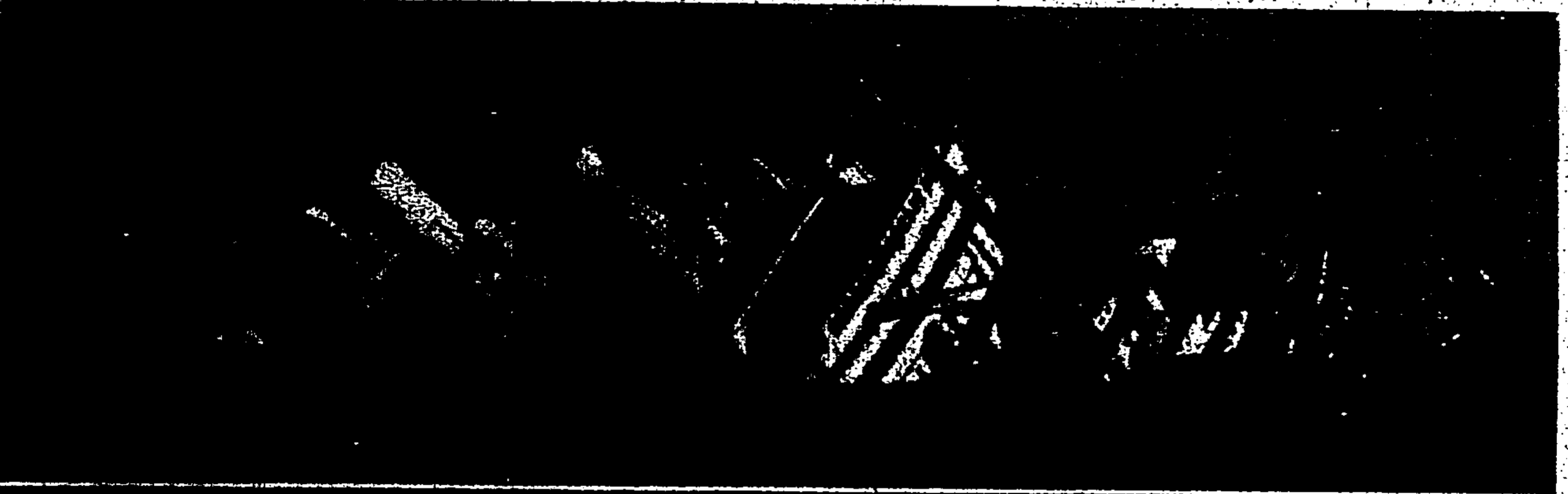


CHINA'S FIRST LADY OF THE SCREEN.

Butterfly Wu (Mrs. Y. S. Pan) whose home is in Hong Kong still ranks as China's foremost actress on stage and screen. She is in the leading roles of "Madame X" and "Dream in Spring" two of the latest Chinese productions in the Colony. (Portrait by S. Y. Wong)



At 8 p.m. on the evening of the 4th October the 1000-ton Chinese vessel "PU TO" struck a mine in Chinese waters. HMS "PU TO" was the first of the Police launchers sent at once to the scene of the tragedy and the survivors were taken off. It is thought that the ill-fated ship was carrying about 300 passengers of whom the Police have accounted for about 270 including 15 dead. After medical care the majority of the survivors were sent back to Canton. The "PU TO" was eventually towed to Lanchow, where these pictures were taken, and beached. (Francis Ws)



LEGACY OF WAR. Few harbours within bomber range of either side are yet clear of wreckage. These ships, Italian hospital vessels, were used by the Germans as troop-carriers and as such were sunk by Allied aircraft during the war. They still lie in Trieste harbour and no one knows to whom they really belong. (AP Photo)

LOCAL EVENTS



The Governor and Lady Grantham, accompanied by Mr. C. G. S. Follows, left on Tuesday for Nanking and returned after a very successful visit last Saturday week. His Excellency was entertained by the Generalissimo and leading members of the Chinese Government. (Fraser's Press)



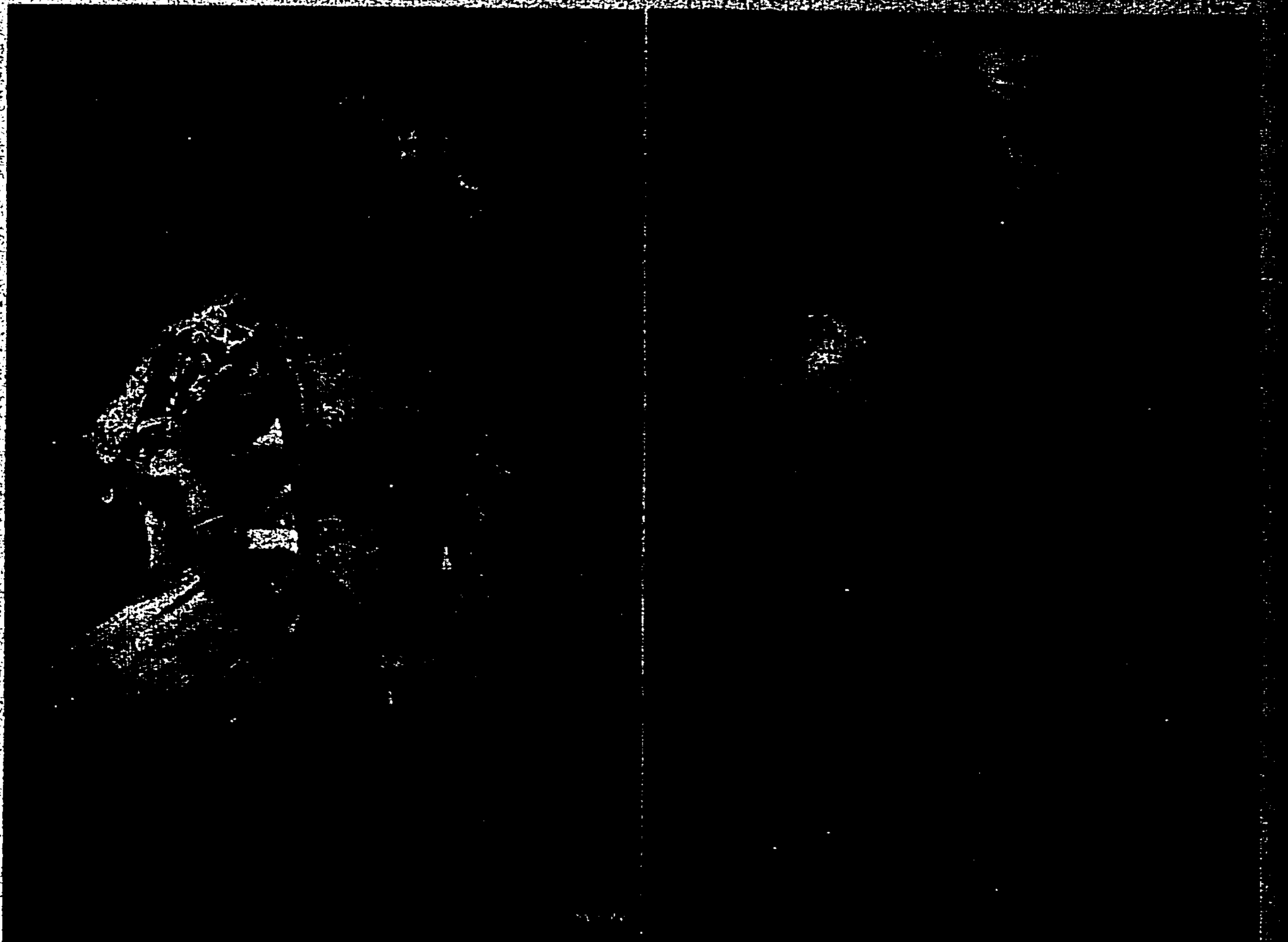
IN NANKING. Mr. C. H. Ling, Director of the Protocol Division, Sir Alex. Grantham, the British Ambassador Sir Ralph Stevenson, and the Mayor of China's capital city. (Central News).



Sharon Amber, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Talbot, celebrates her first birthday this week. (Geisborough Picture)



A large number of friends attended the recent Navjote (Investiture) ceremony of Pesi and Shirin, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jehangir at the Hong Kong Hotel. The above pictures show two stages of this solemn and ancient ceremony. (Golden Studio)



Two attractive costumes of days gone by. Betty Ann Brown (left) as the heroine in "The Scarlet Empress" and Margaret Lockwood (right) as the heroine in "The Scarlet Empress".



Greta Gunt displays (left) the newest full-length evening coat of white velour, and (right) a black crepe dinner gown whose original neck-line is picked out in circles of black osprey feathers and electric-blue sequins.

Ann Todd, star of "The Scarlet Empress" now to be seen in her new film "Daybreak" wears this ice-blue and black gown with an air. The low square neck-line is banded in ice-blue georgette and the voluminous skirt is puffed in chiffon of similar shade.



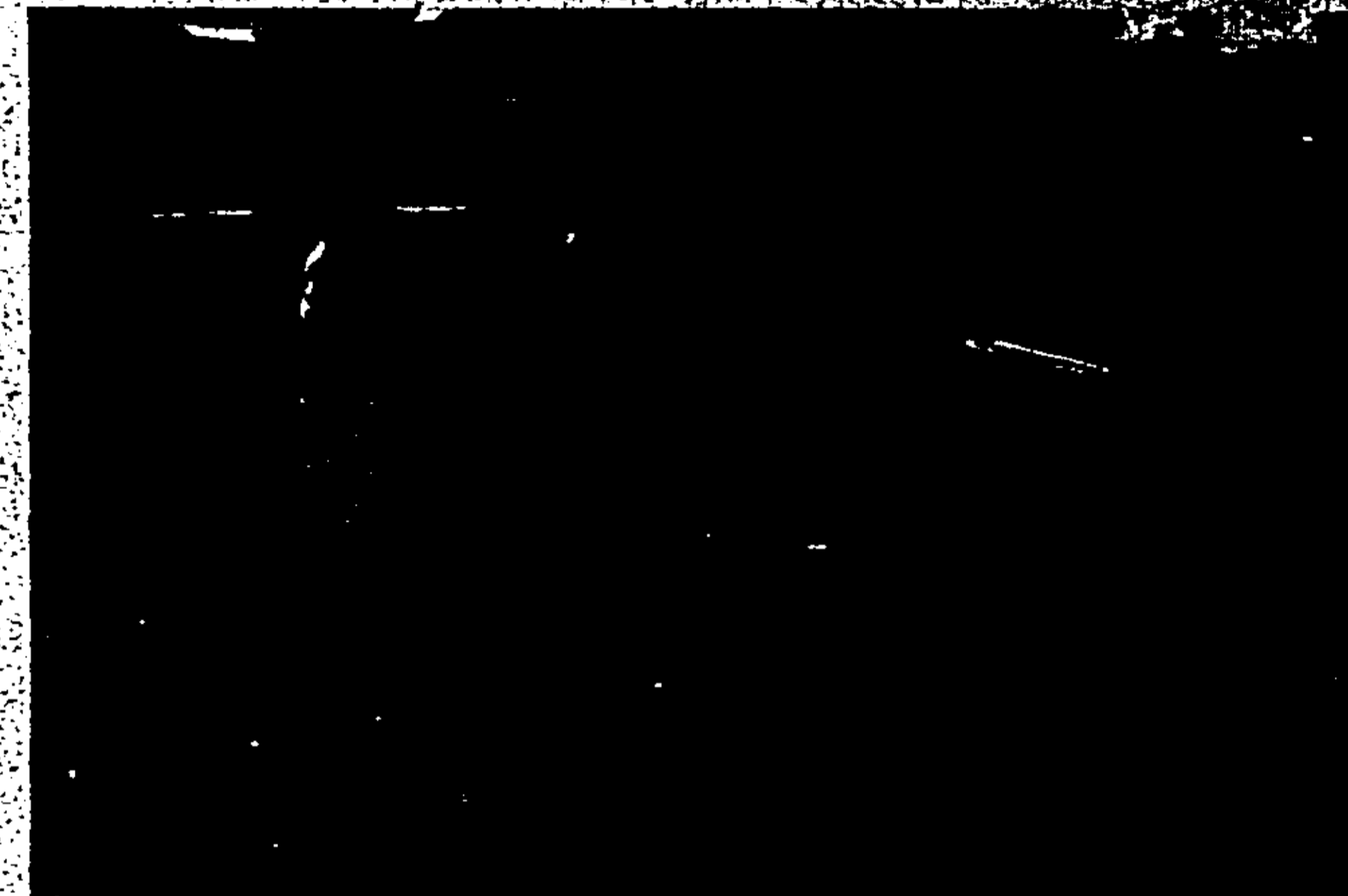
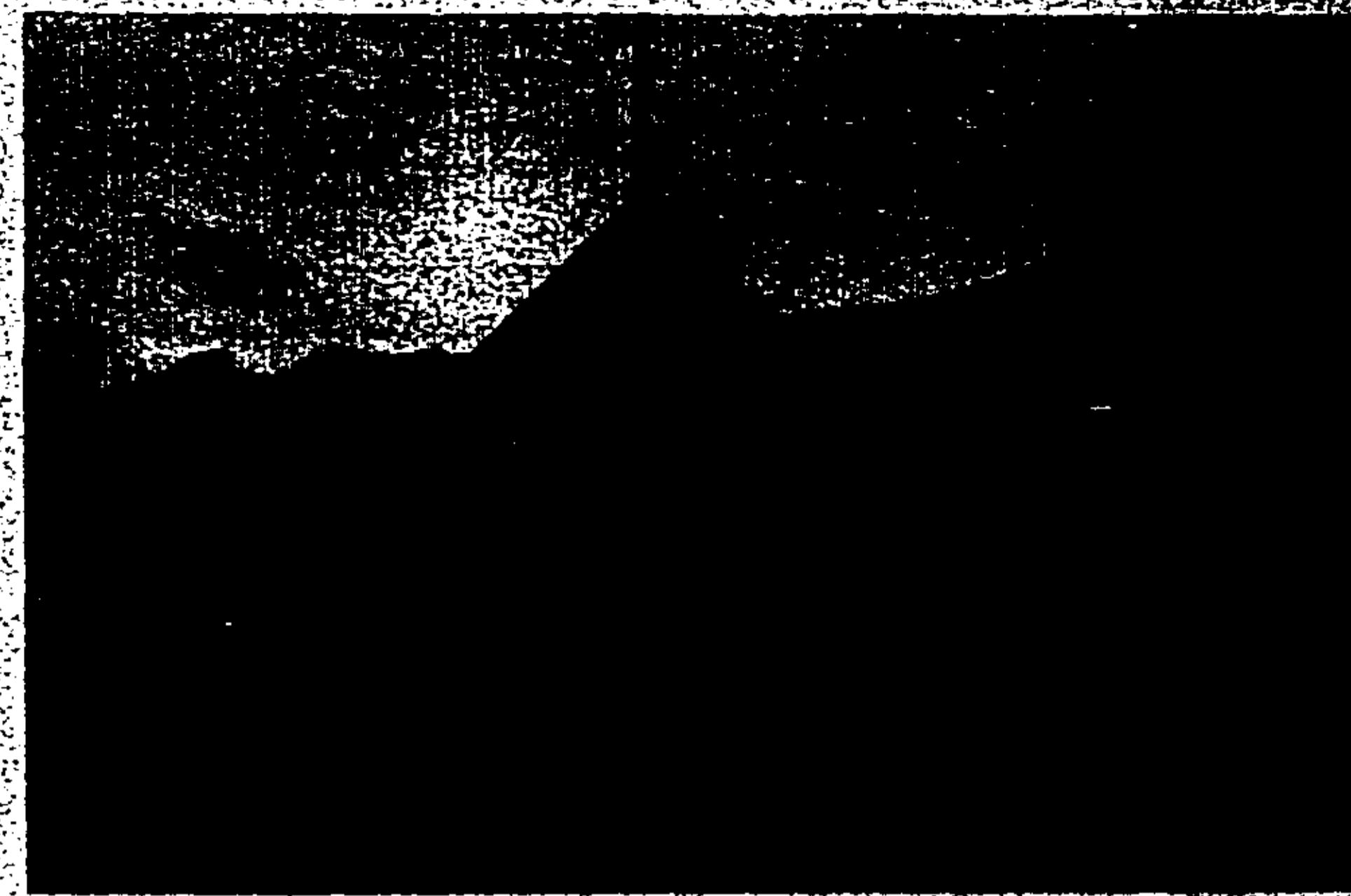
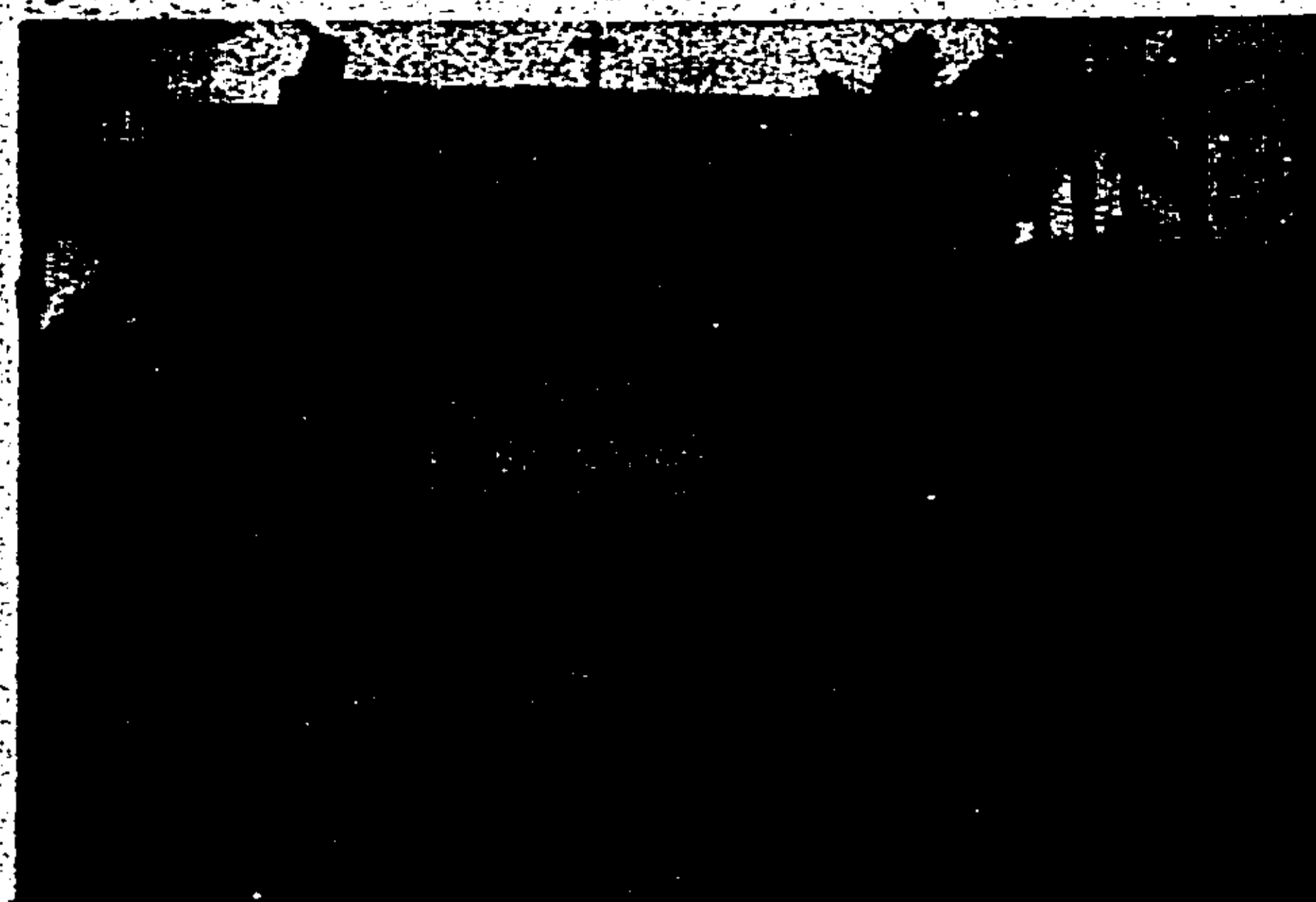
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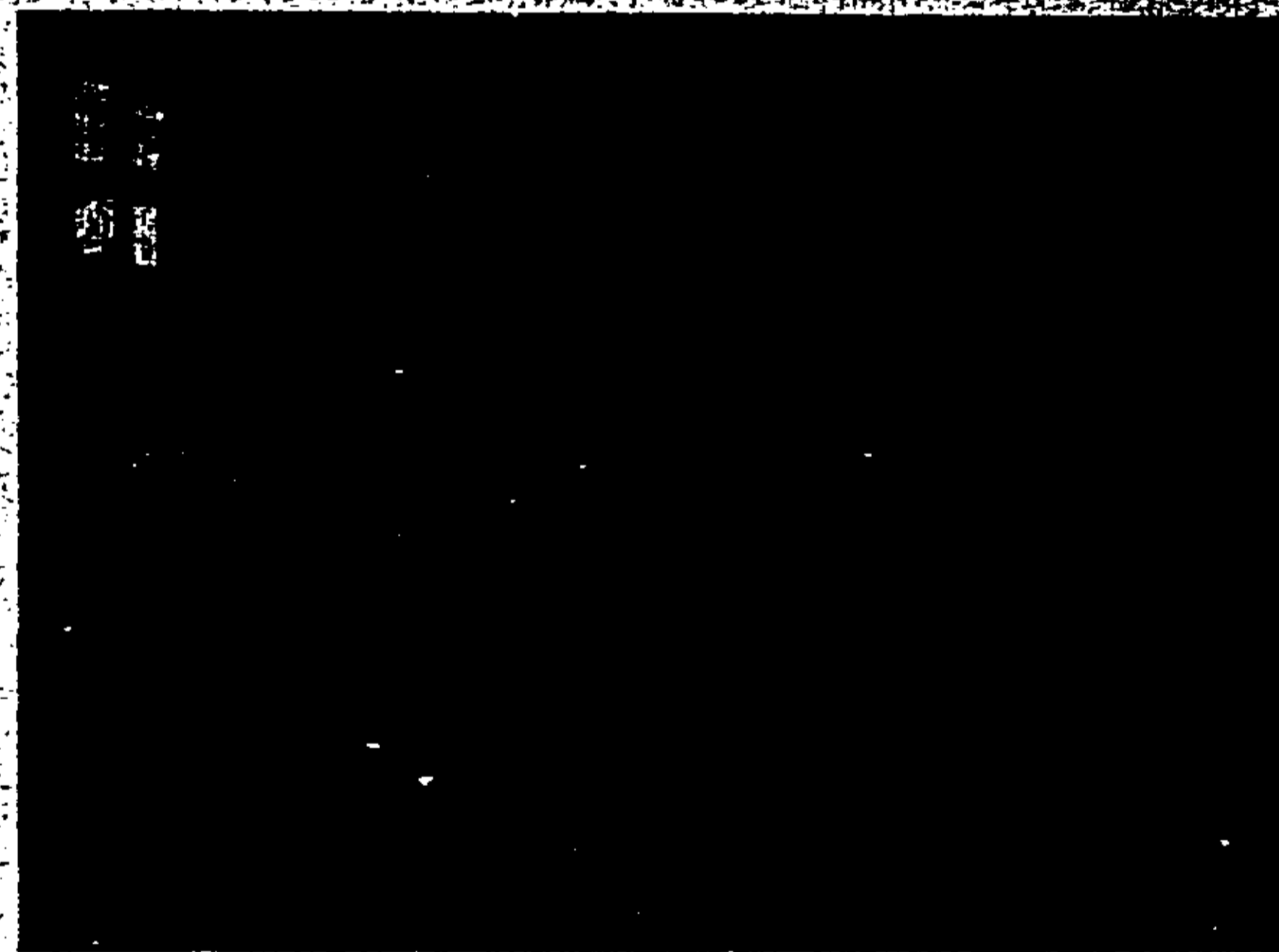


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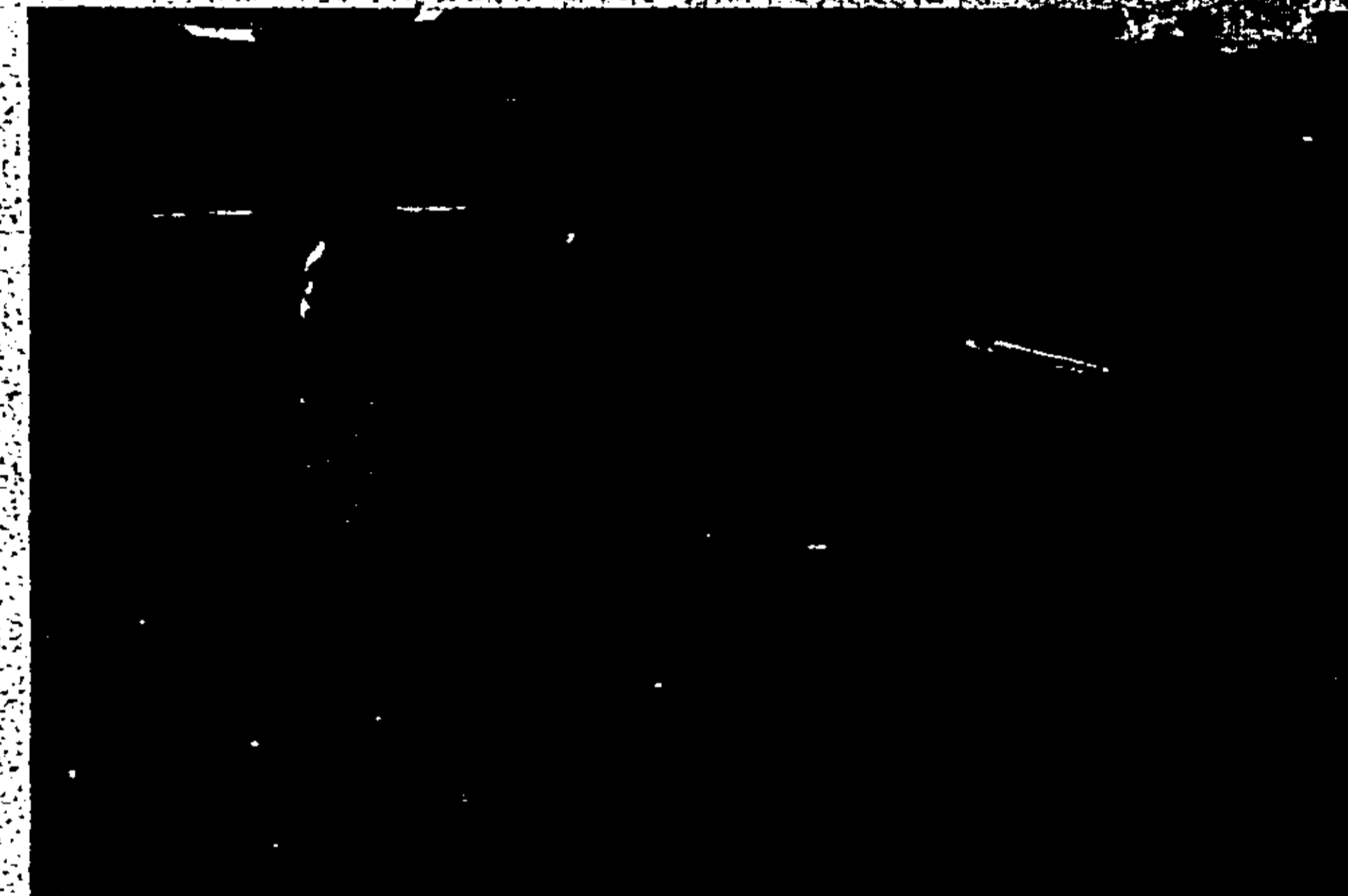
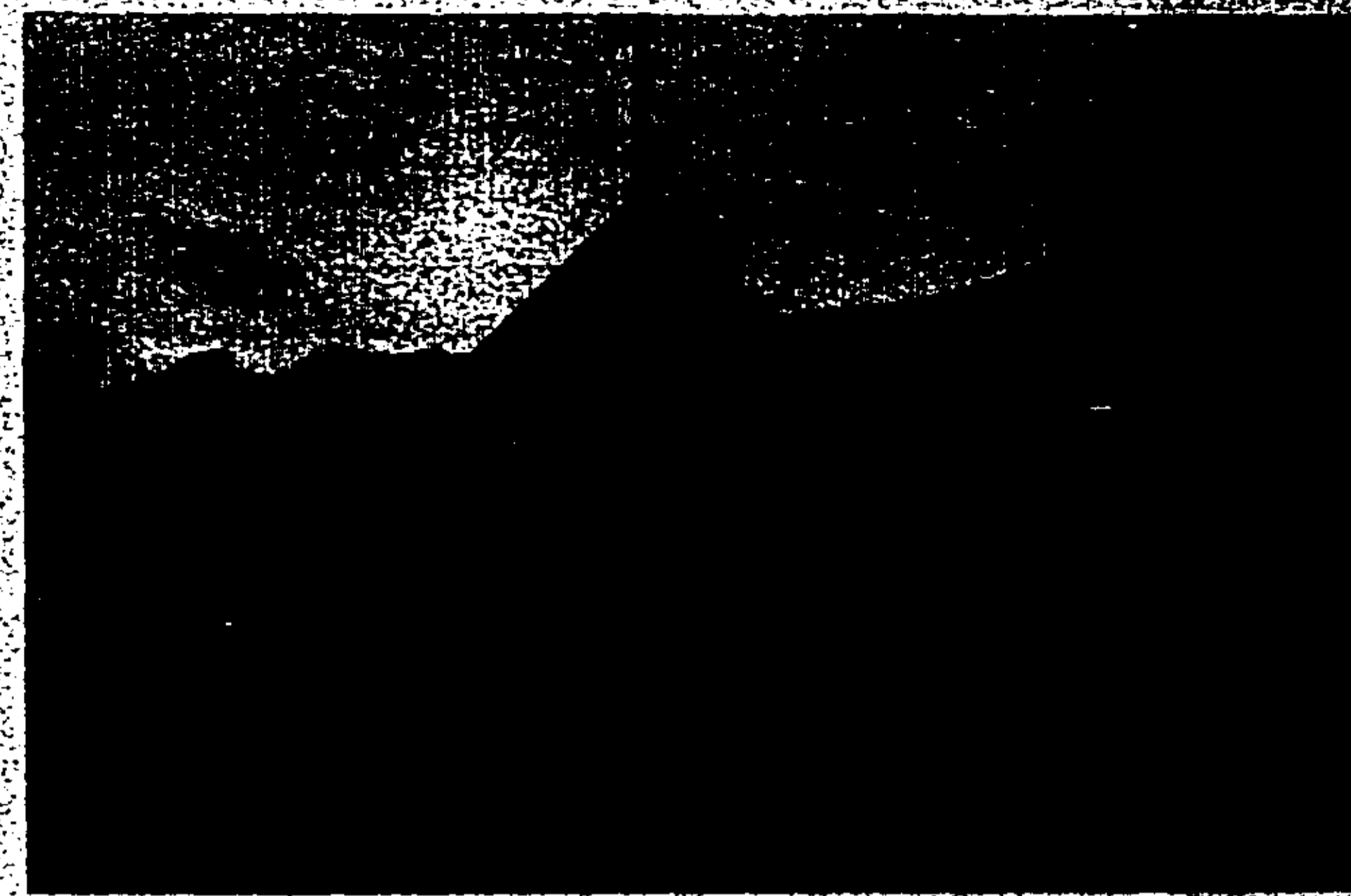
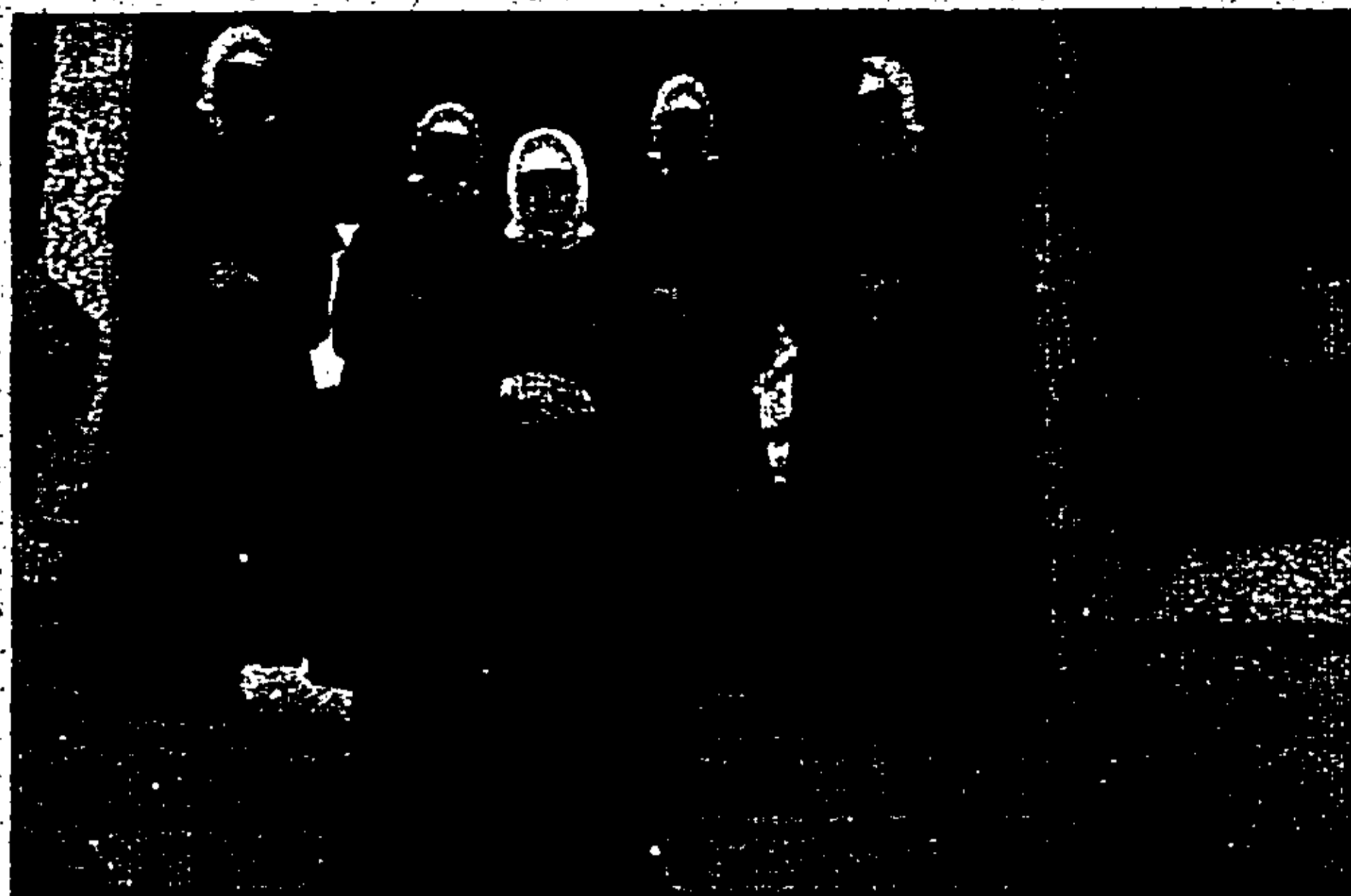
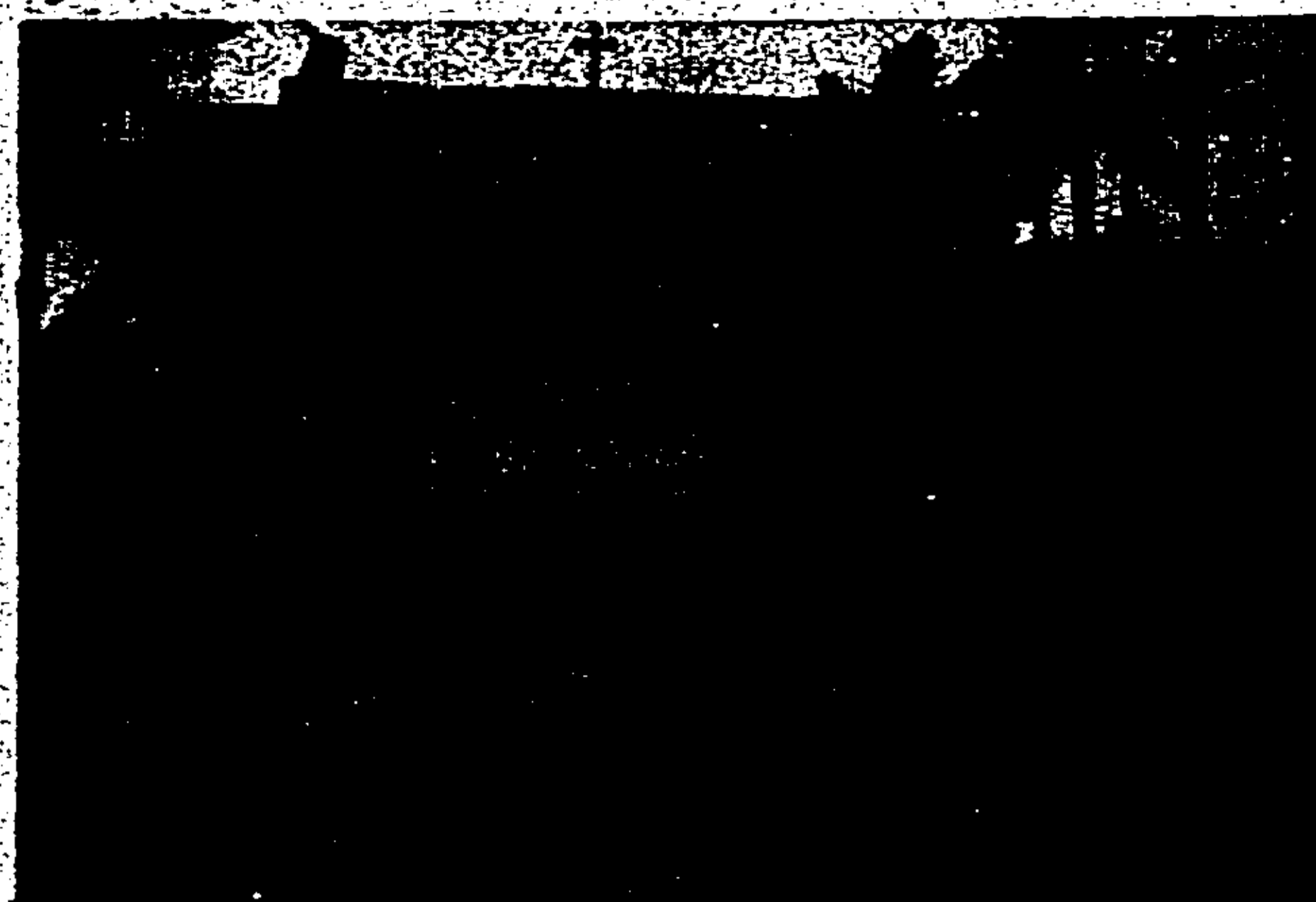
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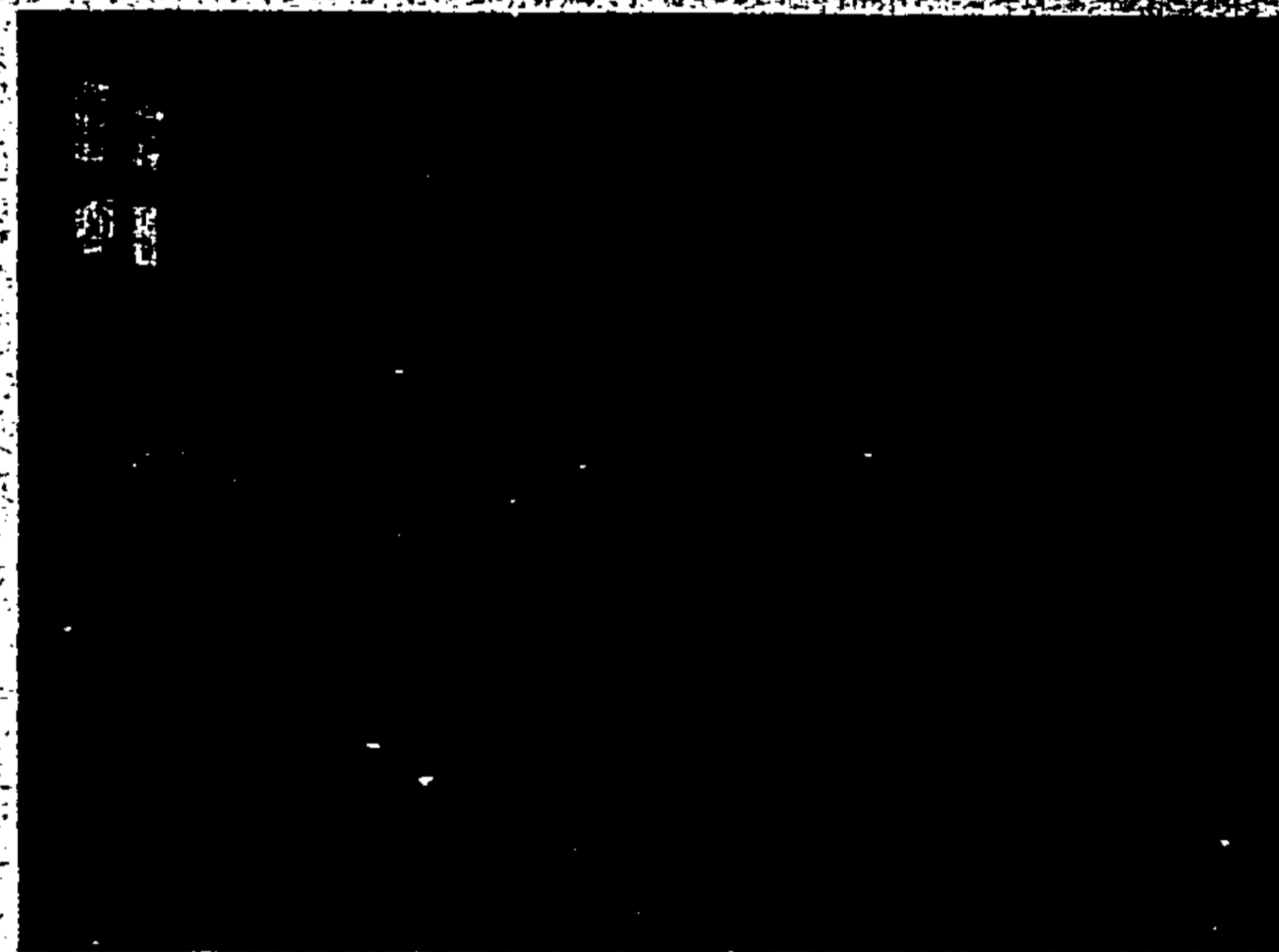
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COLOSSAL OPIUM SEIZURE

Hoard Discovered On Dutch Freighter

Breaking Up Of A Big Ring

Vancouver, Oct. 11.—The Canadian Mounted Police, seizing here a hoard of opium worth about \$1,162,000 on the black market, are believed to have dealt a smashing blow at an international dope ring operating on the Pacific Coast.

The haul, 415 pounds of opium, was described as one of the largest ever made in North America.

It was seized on board the Dutch freighter Mangeran in North Vancouver Dry Dock yesterday.

This was the second very large haul of drugs on board a freighter here in recent months and the third in the North-East Pacific.

Grim But There Was No Crime

Zurich, Oct. 11.

In a park in Switzerland a skeleton was found, wrapped in paper, underneath a park bench.

But before sleuths got to work on murder machinery, the county hospital telephoned to say that a man, having specimens to a medical demonstration, had been in the park and left one of his parcels there.

Then there was an even more curious fellow who left a wallet containing three thousand pounds "somewhere in Zurich."

The police were honest, but this man was not. They duly traced the owner and returned the money to him, but by one of those strange coincidences of officialdom, the tax collector heard of the find and traced the man in his records as owing very close on that amount. He was on the trail at once, and this time the money was lost for ever.—Our Own Correspondent.

Threat To Woman M.P.

London, Oct. 11.—Mrs. Barbara Aspin, Socialist M.P., said today she had been threatened 20 times by an organization calling itself the British section of the Ku Klux Klan.

One letter contained a bullet and the warning: "This is like the one you will get in your back."—United Press.

T.B. Deaths In Britain

London, Oct. 11.—Between 1,500 and 2,000 people in Britain die annually from tuberculosis conveyed by infected milk. Lord Woolton, wartime Food Minister, said today.

Lord Woolton, who was addressing a conference of over 1,000 health representatives from all over the country, demanded nationwide compulsory pasteurization of milk as one step in the national campaign for pure food. Saying that at least one farmer in every twenty was sending out milk infected with tuberculosis, he asked: "Is it going too far to suggest that the local authorities should have the same standard of responsibility for milk consumed in their areas, as they already have for water?"—Reuter.

Portuguese Officers On Trial

London, Oct. 11.—Word reached London today that nine high-ranking Portuguese Army officers and two Portuguese naval officers, charged with plotting the overthrow of Premier Salazar's regime, would be brought before a court martial on a lonely island in the Azores in the near future.

Well-founded reports circulated here said the court martial would be held in a remote island in order to keep the publicity attending it to a minimum.

The eleven officers now held in the Junco de Matos insane asylum on the outskirts of Lisbon will soon be transferred to the fortress of Junco de Matos at Angra do Heroismo on Terceira Island in the Azores. There, although they were dismissed from their military and naval duties and rank by a decree of July 15, they will be brought before a court martial as civilians.

Charged as ringleaders in the third revolt against the Salazar regime within a year, the 11 men allegedly organized a force of about 350 Army officers to overthrow Portugal's present Premier.—United Press.

Soviet Embassy Attacked

Santiago de Chile, Oct. 11.—Unknown persons opened automatic weapon fire on the Soviet Embassy here today.

The Soviet Ambassador has lodged a protest against the attack with the Chilean Government.

Two days ago, the Chilean authorities accused Yugoslav diplomats of creating a sabotage organization of Communist organization in Latin America.—Reuter.

HIS NEEDS ARE SIMPLE

Canberra, Oct. 11.—Australia's Labour Prime Minister Joseph Chifley has refused a \$500 increase in his \$4,500 salary because, he said, "my needs are simple."—Associated Press.

WRONG PLACE

Gravesend, Oct. 11.—Two youths were convicted today of stealing a camera and two clocks from the home of Ronald Warner.

They were arrested when they tried to sell the stolen articles at a local fish shop—owned by Warner.—United Press.

Royal Bridal Gown Top Secret

London, Oct. 11.—Growing demands in the London press for an official disclosure of what Princess Elizabeth's wedding gown will look like got an icy reception today from the court.

"The Princess would be very disappointed if enough became known as to the gown could be duplicated before she had an opportunity to wear it," quoted the careful spokesman at Buckingham Palace.

But official circles declined to put any stick in a Daily Mirror report that the Princess could have the gown thrown out and a new one created. If the secret leaked before she weds, Philip Mountbatten next Nov. 20.

The Mirror also said that the gown is being sewn up from "cream or white silk satin and will contain 16 to 20 yards of material at \$2 to \$4 a yard."

The Palace wouldn't say yes or no or even maybe to that one. A well-informed source said, "It is only a guess," but he backed on the afterthought that "probably some people might hit on a fairly accurate guess" if the swathe of speculation keeps mounting.

With just exactly six weeks from today until the wedding, several chosen newspapermen already have seen the dress material but only under the dearest of conditions. The secret will be revealed the day after the wedding day.—Associated Press.

France Objects To Austerity

Paris, Oct. 11.

French newspapers were united today in condemning Mr. Ramadier's announcement last night that State expenditure was to be cut by 23 per cent and that "we must ration and tax wherever there is a shortage."

The Premier told of drastic cuts affecting the armed forces, civil service, reconstruction and taxation, and of steps to prevent "luxury building."

Blue Baby No Longer Blue

Chicago, Oct. 11.

David Collins, three and a half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Collins of Greenock, Scotland, returned home—with his mother—and father today after a delicate heart operation to increase the oxygen content of his blood.

The operation performed on victims of the so-called "blue baby" condition joins the main artery to the pulmonary artery allowing the blood stream to reach the lungs and obtain the necessary oxygen.

David is now active again. All traces of "blueness" have disappeared. He arrived in Chicago early in September.—Associated Press.

NO PICKING AND CHOOSING

Walesfield, Oct. 11.

John William Robinson, landlord of an inn at Hazelherd, a village in the West Riding, Yorkshire, was fined \$20 on each of three summonses accusing him, without lawful excuse, of refusing accommodation to travellers.

The Chairman, Judge William Stewart, stating that Robinson had refused to receive three respective parties at a time when he had a room in his house, commented: "The innkeeper is not there for the purpose of selecting his guests and has no right as to whom they should be."—Reuter.

P.A.A. EXTENDS TO AUSTRALIA

Washington, Oct. 11.

The Civil Aeronautics Board today authorized Pan American Airways to extend its route across the South Pacific from Sydney to Melbourne.

Melbourne becomes the terminal point and Sydney an intermediate point.

President Truman approved the Board's action as necessary in international route case.—United Press.

Bristol, Oct. 11.—Britain's newest shortage is fruit. Fruit is scarce in Bristol. Unusually offered four pence a piece for laboratory specimens made scarce by the summer's severe drought.—Associated Press.

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One of the most important aspects of any type of picture taking is proper focus. It is of first importance whether you're picturing your friends, pets, landscapes, or any other subject for entry in the "Sunday Herald" Photographic Competition.

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Focusing, as a matter of fact, is extremely simple when you have only one subject—or person, to be more

neer point, as indicated in the table, you can get near subjects sharper—and still retain sufficient sharpness in distance objects.

In cases where you need considerable depth of field, yet want to keep the exposure time short, high speed film is a great advantage. It allows you to use a much smaller lens opening—thereby giving a much deeper zone of sharpness.

Often, however, you don't want everything sharp. In a close-up of a person, for example, it may be best to show the background at least slightly out of focus. Then you should have the subject fairly well separated from the background, focus on the nearest part of the subject's face or head, and use the largest possible lens opening. The closer you

Have you a picture of Hollywood in your mind's eye? If you have you will be interested to hear why SHEILA HOWARTH, writing from the film city calls it

A NAME WITHOUT A PLACE—

Hollywood. In the minds of people who have never been here, Hollywood is many things. To me—before I actually arrived—it was a small village outside Los Angeles where you found all the film studios; where you passed film stars in the streets; and where you dined next to them in the restaurants.

But Hollywood is an atmosphere: an adjective more than a noun.

Easily Missed

It is distinctly marked on the map, "Hollywood District," with Los Angeles on the East and Beverly Hills on the West. Yet you could drive through and never know.

There are the same small detached houses, the same amusements, the same advertisements, the same shops which link every district of this great, rambling city of Los Angeles. There is no green belt around Hollywood to show where it begins and ends.

Few Studios

Most of the studios used to be in Hollywood, but now only one or two remain—squashed between petrol pumps and restaurants. The big studios have moved further out for breathing space: they are scattered in all directions—some of them thirty miles apart.

You seldom see a film star outside the studios. If they are working they get on the lot early in the morning; if they are not working they are away on holiday. In off-duty hours those who are working go to private parties and dine at each other's homes, for they rarely have public appearances informally.

It boils down to this. The film colony does not exist; homes are as scattered as the studios—often fifty miles from their work.

Those who talk of Hollywood mean no particular area or district. They refer to a vast population connected by the common denominator of film: a population of hair-dressers, carpenters, waitresses, actors, writers, policemen, musicians, engineers and a host of others all connected in some way with the industry.

Hollywood is a place where all values are changed. Hollywood is a place where some people go hungry because they cannot afford to pay for both food and rent.

Empty Houses

There is the worst housing shortage in America here, yet 50,000 apartments are said to be vacant. The truth is that landlords would rather keep them empty than let them at controlled prices—unless the premium bribe is fat enough!

It is a place where money has lost all value. A great many people besides the stars earn fantastic salaries and anyone with a normal job and salary finds it extremely hard to live. In this Rich Man's City of expensive restaurants you can pay \$3 for a dinner which is not as satisfying as a Ministry of Food controlled meal at 5/- in a hotel or restaurant at home.

Women go to work in Hollywood simply because they are



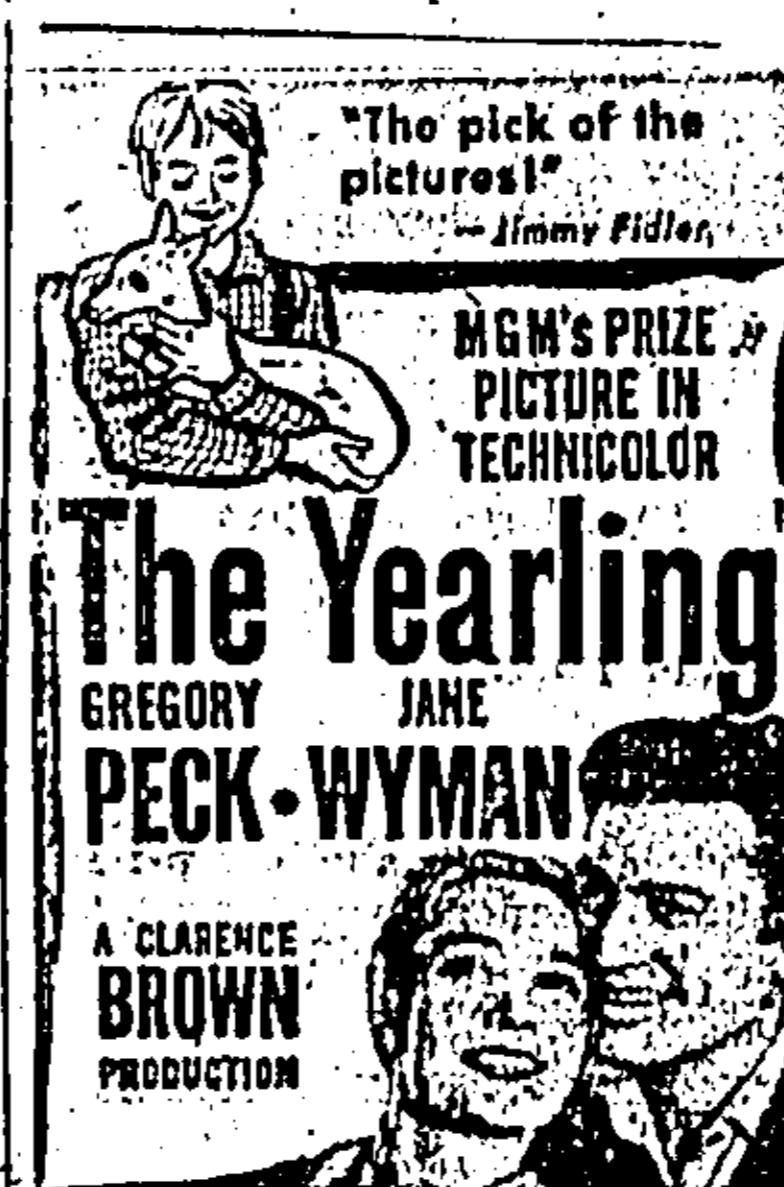
bored, and the husband goes home in the evening to do the washing, the heavier housework and, frequently, the ironing.

It is a queer market, where everyone is selling something: ideas, beliefs, religions, or something more tangible and expensive like a fountain pen full of perfume instead of ink, sunglasses with gold lenses, a house with windows only in the roof, or an ostrich-feather bed-lacket for your dog.

Yet women spend only a tenth of the working day in the kitchen—including tin-opening and dish washing—and think they are having a bad time since the war.

Meanwhile the menfolk complain about living conditions, and the fact that it takes a little "pull" to get a new car the day after placing an order for one.

Hollywood is a place where the residents honestly feel that life is very hard on them simply because they have no idea how the rest of the world lives outside their little sphere.



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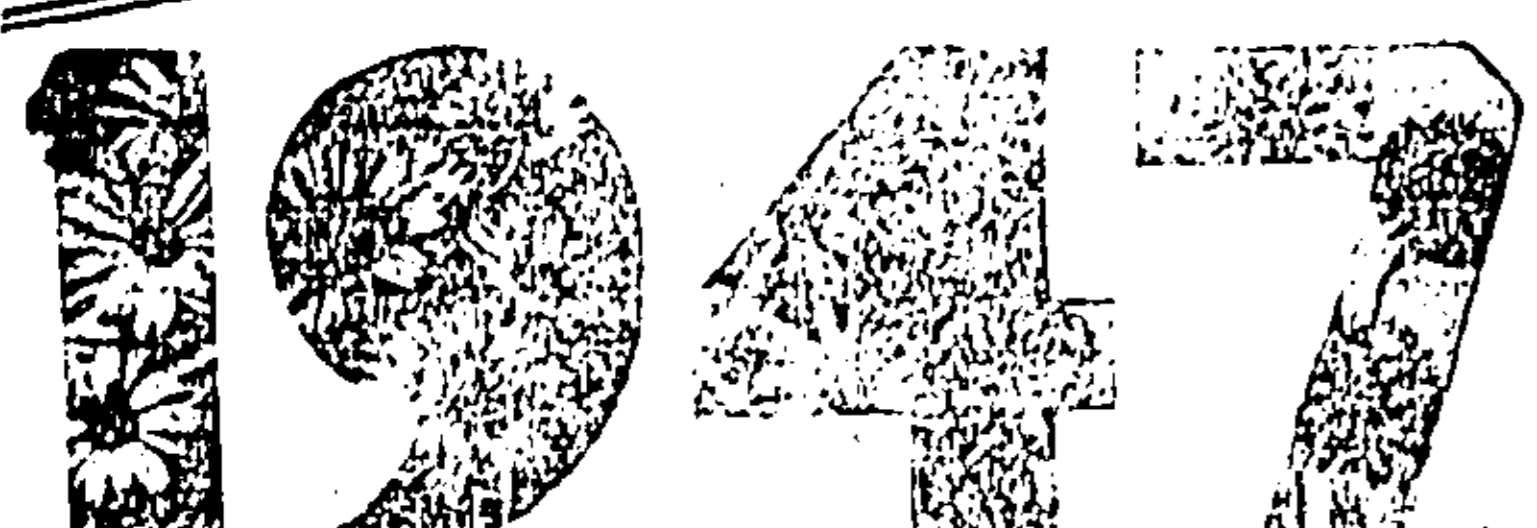
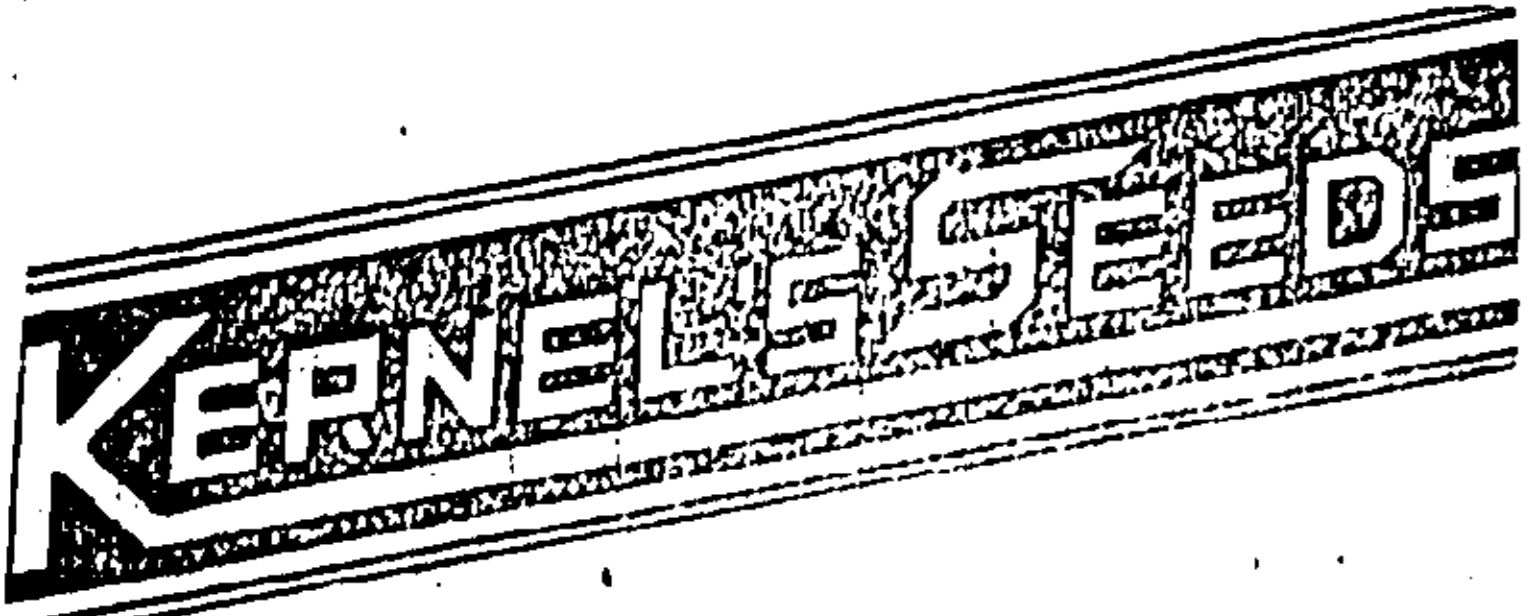
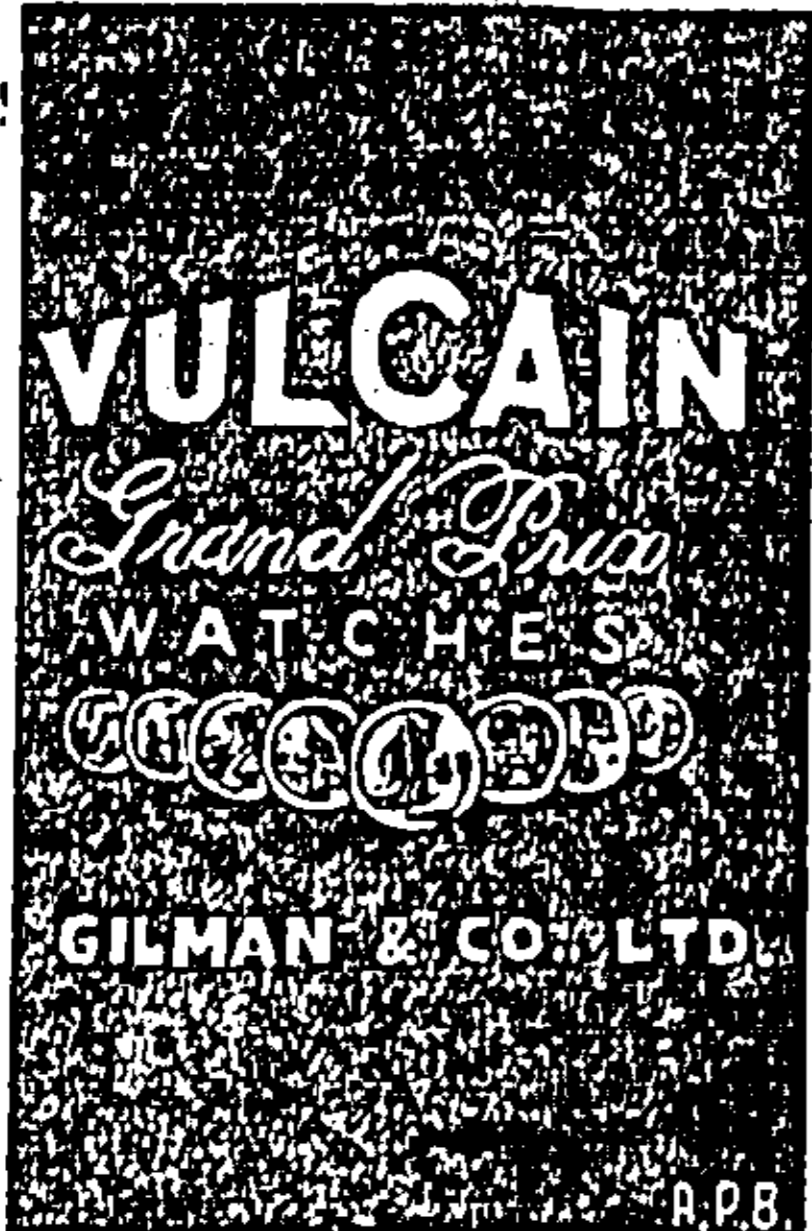
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precise—in your picture. You merely determine the distance from subject to camera, set the focus scale at that distance mark, and shoot. At first you may not be able to determine the distance by a mere glance, but a little practice will pay you large dividends in clear, sharp pictures that you will be proud to display to your friends.

Suppose, however, there are two or more subjects to be pictured—one a little nearer to the camera than the other. In that case, compromise by setting the focus somewhat beyond the nearest subject. Then by referring to a depth-of-field table, select a lens opening that will just cover the subject at the chosen focus setting.

Of course, a similar result could be obtained by focusing on some other point and then using a somewhat smaller lens opening. But for practical purposes and to get proper distance lot of sharpness, focusing on a midway point for a subject of this kind is the thing to do.

If the picture is a close-up, and since depth of field is always limited in close-up shots, such "compromise" focusing is most helpful. But it is also useful in shots where you want everything sharp from "infinity" to fairly near the camera. If you will examine a depth-of-field table, you will see that for many subjects there is a little advantage in setting the lens at "infinity." By setting it for some

are to the subject, the more you can diffuse background detail.

Careful measuring of distances is essential for accurate focusing, especially in close-ups. A photographic range finder is the most convenient measuring device.

Practice focusing—and focus carefully before shooting.

Look Beyond Your Principal Subject

When you choose a background for a figure or group—perhaps a doorway, clump of bushes, landscape, or shoreline—he sure that it serves merely as a setting or frame. Also check its effect on your principal subject; otherwise you are liable to get peculiar and distracting effects. Make certain, for example, that from the position of your camera lens a tree branch does not seem to be growing out of the head of the person whose picture you are taking. Again, beware of an uncovered trellis or arbor when taking informal portraits of groups, because prominent horizontal or vertical lines always distract. The clapped side of a house is similarly undesirable when taking reasonably close-up pictures of people. Garden bushes and other foliage make better backgrounds. In other words, look beyond your subject; because your camera must certainly will.



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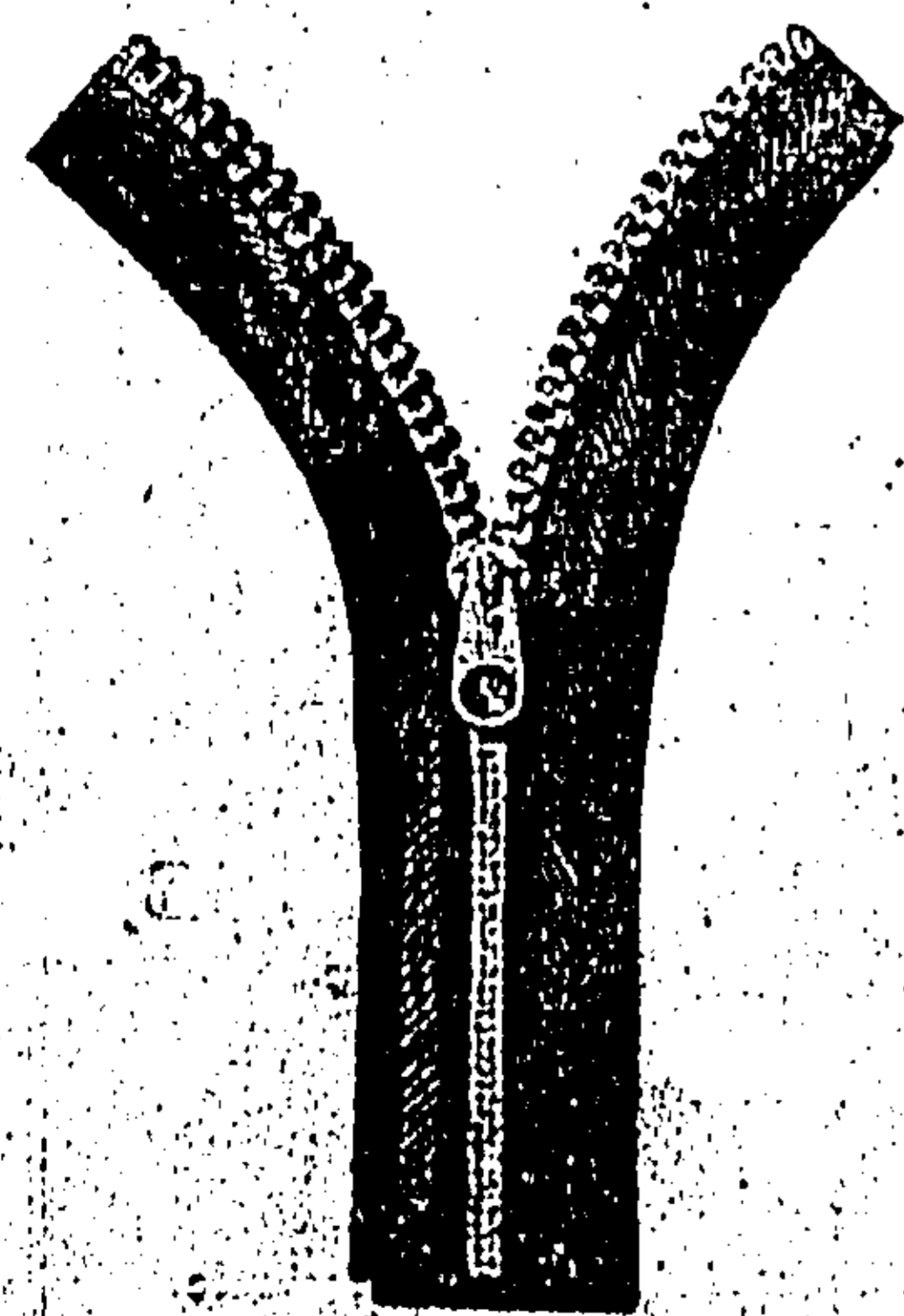
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Fashion Designers Want
Longer Skirts

A group of American women tourists arrived in Paris recently, proud of their long skirts which they thought would catch the approving Parisienne eye.

But Paris, home of the new hem-line, so far has failed to adopt the style which originated here. The American visitors, like other Americans arriving in Paris previously, were shocked by the parade of bared calves.

"Economic difficulties" have prevented the long skirts being adopted in France.

And so it goes with the rest of the world. This drastic change seems poorly timed and basically selfish when the greater part of the world cannot get enough clothing to keep itself warm, and the universal high cost of living makes necessity only spending essential. It comes, too, at a time when world production of the five major apparel and household fibres—cotton, wool, silk, flax and rayon—is one quarter below the 1934-38 average.

The three main fashion centres of the world—Paris, London, and New York—have all found the same reaction among the women to whom they are trying to sell the new idea. The Battle of the Hemlines is now swinging into action—the designers on one hand and the "Hold That Hemline" brigade on the other.

FRANCE:

Early Paris Haute Couture showings this year for the coming autumn showed trends towards much longer skirts, tiny waisted, barrel tops, sweeping capes, shorter evening gowns. Designers predict (hopefully) that the long skirt will become general in Paris in the next few months, during the cold winter.

The length of skirts for suits is undecided. Two factions have set forth their newest ideas on the subject. Molyneux shows long but full skirts with his costumes, sometimes with two or three large unpressed pleats in the front. With these he has fairly long jackets. Maggy Rouff is another who has designed her skirts with large unpressed pleats.

Christian Christian Dior, the meteoric new fashion leader for many of Paris's Smart Set, is concentrating, on the other hand, on very tight "stovepipe" skirts, so tight that they have to be slit up the side for walking. Dinner dresses this year are well above the floor; afternoon frocks just show the ankle, which is considerably longer than anything Paris has seen lately. Evening dresses are slowly and reluctantly creeping off the floor.

BRITAIN:

Princess Elizabeth, prime fashion leader for every woman in Britain, will remain neutral in the battle of the

hemlines—her skirt will neither be too short nor too long in her going away ensemble.

Siding with the tactful Princess, who well knows what havoc to coupons will result from long skirts, is Britain's powerful Guild of Fashion Designers, who today chalked up the new autumn trend titled "The Spiral Silhouette," half-way house between just below the knee and mid-calf hemlines. "The Spiral Silhouette" has two outstanding points—it accentuates the length of the skirt without using more material and it is figure-moulding in the extreme.

Twenty designers gave the "Spiral Silhouette" top-line showings. So far, British showings.

Designers in Britain are aiming to conform with Sir Stafford Cripps' dictum, "The shorter the skirts the better," regardless of foreign influence.

The new President of the Board of Trade, James Harold Wilson, when asked what he thought of the lowered hemline said shatteringly, "Damned silly."

There will be no change in policy with regard to short skirts. The London "Daily Mail," in a correspondence survey, said that of 130 readers, 106 wanted to keep short skirts. Twenty-one voted for long skirts. 12 said frankly that the whole thing was ridiculous, and that it was a matter of personal taste.

AMERICA:

Jacques Fath, leading Paris exponent of the long skirt, accused American dress manufacturers of plotting against the new fashion because of stockpiles of six-year-old short-skirted dresses.

Pumping for the long skirt, Fath gave his own definition of elegance: "American and European husbands will be glad to see their wives look different from the masses—that is the essence of elegance."

International fashion leader, the Duchess of Windsor, took the side of the short-skirt, said: "I have not changed the length of my skirts, and what is more I do not intend to."

Big stores all over America, however, report that the new long skirts are selling "like hot cakes."

Lawrence Marcus, the president of the big Dallas store of Neiman-Markus, reported: "Smart women everywhere are accepting gratefully the longer skirt." Dane F. Hahn, Manager of the Ready-to-Wear Group of the National Retail Dry Goods Association, said: "Acceptance of longer skirts is good throughout the country."

In some quarters they may not be immediately accepted, but in general the public will go for longer dresses. Tobie and Associates, of New York, Merchandising consultants to stores throughout the country, and Ralph Leach, buyer of women's and misses' coats, suits and dresses for Saks-Fifth Avenue, agree that the longer hemline is here to stay, even though general acceptance of the idea will take longer to spread.

Meanwhile, American women are providing the most active opposition to the dictates of the designers. In Dallas, Texas, the Little Below the Knee Club, claiming a membership of 1,600, held parades and demonstrations, carrying the slogan "Hold That Hemline."

In Cleveland, Ohio, and Louisville, Kentucky, women have formed other LBTK clubs. Polls in most of the large cities indicate that public opinion is against covering much below the knee. In Los Angeles, studio fashion designers Adriana and Irene clashed head-on. Said Adriana: "Any attempt to drop street-wear hem lines below the current level of 14 inches is ridiculous." Irene announced: "Women might as well get used to the idea. Dresses are not only going to stay long; they will get even longer."

The most radical change in fashion since before the war is exciting more interest and controversy than perhaps any other seasonal fashion has done for half a century. There are too many economic, financial and military considerations involved to make this another whim of the moment, but it looks as if sooner or later, everybody will be hiding their nylons under a demurely drooping skirt.

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You may remember this style from ten years ago, but it's now the "New Look." The very latest in the fashion world, from America.

NATURE NOTE

I am a lover of mankind, whatever its creed or complexion, but there are one or two samples to which I have a rooted objection.

And without going into the Problem of Evil, or quoting Marx,

I can sum up my aversion, in a word, as Nasty. Which are people who derive their pleasure or profit, not by adding to the Sum of Human Happiness, but by taking something off it.

And I don't have to go back to Hitler or Mussolini. To point out a man who is nothing but a damned old man, whose he is, I would load him with chains and manacles.

Because he ordered that women's dresses should go halfway down to their ankles.

Which is going a lot far, considering the clothing shortage and the way things are.

So I offer this grain of advice to anyone's wife or daughter. That if anything, she should wear her skirts even shorter.

And I don't suggest it to make her skittish, but so that she can cut off a skirt and send it to help the British.

Now the guy who thought up long skirts was definitely unpatriotic, and he was probably half-blind and also a hopeless neurotic.

But financially he had the makings of a Furrer.

Because he thought up this dodge for making himself richer and other men poorer.

Which is something any man of sense.

Very bitterly leather and rescue. Women who like hiking and golf and tennis.

Agree with me that the whole idea is a subtle means.

Because it makes them feel like a well-fed horse.

Which everybody hobbles as soon as it reaches the corse.

So I hope with ardour and faith and passion.

That women will universally say nuts on this cork-eyed fashion. And I must admit, if nobody's feelings are hurt.

That my real reason is I'd rather see a decent pair of legs than the classiest, custom-tailored skirt.

Colours For Princess

The British Colour Council recently announced that it had submitted several new colours to the Princess Elizabeth, who had "graciously consented to sponsor" four of them "to commemorate the occasion of her wedding."

The colours are: "Lime Flower," a soft, yellow green derived from the English lime-flower; "London," a darker, longer with more green; "Princess Blue," a pastel blue; and "Spit-head Blue," a clear, Navy blue which, obviously, had been chosen because the bridegroom, Philip Mountbatten, is a naval lieutenant.

Sciences Help The Housewife

Earlier this year Queen Mary opened the "Daily Mail" Ideal Home Exhibition, the twenty-fourth of its kind to be held. This year one of the features of the Exhibition was the contribution—that science, engineering and industry are giving to the housewife all of them combining to take the burden of running a home under today's conditions off her shoulders.

One of the most revolutionary of the exhibits was the high-frequency cooker. A technique originally used in the plastics industry for quick heating of mixtures has been applied to the kitchen, and the results may bring about a complete revolution in the cooking of the future. High frequency waves cook right through the food, saving time, energy and vitamins.

The humble cooking pots and pans are getting a pepping-up all round. Another exhibit shown was the new pressure cooker, which cooks food in 75% of the time formerly needed by retaining heat under pressure. It almost looks as if the hours of "slaving over a hot stove" are, if not gone, rapidly reaching the end of their road.

The old problem of who's to get the morning tea is solved by the alarm clock-cum-kettle. The electric alarm switches on the kettle, which automatically makes the tea. Another time-saver is the toaster which ejects the toast which it has cooked to the degree determined by the dial on front.

A trolley for serving food that is also an electric hot-plate, with an electric kettle on the lower tray, is another feature.

One gadget to save time and wear and tear on the housewife's feet is an adaptation of the "inter-com" used during the war. A microphone at the front door communicates with all rooms of the house, so that there's no need to run up or down stairs to see if it's Aunt Mable with her finger on the button.

All these gadgets are not in the far-distant future—or at least not too far-distant. All that you need is a house to put them in—to say nothing of one to put yourself in.

SKIRTS AGAIN

If the new skirts are getting you down when all your hemlines are up, try this lengthening hint from the Christian Science Monitor:

If you're thinking of adding a three or four-inch width of lace to your slips, do it this way: Remember, first, that it will take half as much lace again as the circumference of your slip hem. So before you go lace shopping it would be a good idea to measure your hem, adding the extra inches which will go into graceful gathered fullness, in order to get the exact amount that you will need for each slip. Second, to make sure that this fullness is evenly distributed it is wise to mark the hem with straight pins at four equidistant places. Repeat this pin process on the lace, then attach the lace at corresponding pins to the hem, until it has been pinned at all four places. Ease in the fullness between the pins with a fine running stitch, and then you'll have a slip that looks just right with your new skirts.

Recipe for Today

Mushroom Sponge

Fry 1 lb. prepared mushrooms in 2 tablespoons good dripping for a few minutes. Fat is absorbed scatter in 2 tablespoons flour, mix well, and add enough milk-and-water (about 1½ cup) to make a smooth thick puree. Cook a few minutes, stirring well, add salt and pepper and 1 tablespoon chopped parsley, turn into hot pie-dish and cover at once with this sponge mixture.

Mix 1 cup self-raising flour with 1 tablespoon melted margarine, 1 beaten egg and ¼ cup milk. Put sponge over mushrooms and bake in hot oven until sponge is cooked (25 to 30 minutes). Serve hot with any green vegetable.

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Colour Harmony Experiments

Experimenting with colours is a most fascinating game. If you are interested and learn to play it with skill, there is no limit to the variety of fascinating effects you can achieve. Touches of the right colour, cleverly placed, can add highlights to your clothes and to your face, giving life and sparkle to your whole personality.

Well thought out details in coloured accessories will make a plain dress with an invisible sign, "exclusive and original model." Just how, there are such delightful and inexpensive designs in costume jewellery to choose from. The average woman, however, the greatest fun working out plans for "mixing the changes," and even greater combinations, they often turn out the most successful of all. Tomato red and clear yellow, for instance, are usually combined with brown tones, but they can be most striking and active applied in small, vivid splashes to a black ensemble, with floral gowns, the usual practice is to pick out the predominant colour, for the accessories. Try matching one of the best obvious shades. Instead, a lime green or lemon periwinkle, which appears only here and there in the background of the design. You will be surprised and delighted.

Make-Up

Colour on the face has a dual purpose. It can be used to enhance the good points of our features and natural colouring, or to tone down the bad points, and it can also be used to accentuate the colour scheme of the toilet and produce an effect of complete harmony between ourselves and our clothes. Rouge and lipstick need not match, for the lipstick is chosen chiefly to tone in with the general colouring of the ensemble of the accessories. It may be darker than the rouge; it may be a shade which would look most unnatural on the cheeks. Rouge need not be the same shade, but it must harmonize. Choose the most clear reds and pinks, blending gently with the burgundy or cyclamen shades.

Experiment with colours on your face. Small touches in the right places will not only accentuate the shades of hair and eyes, but also lend a glow of warmth and youth to the whole face. Colour will take a plain face a long way on the road to charm and distinction. With foundations, of course, there must be no changing unless the shade of your skin alters occasionally, especially between summer tan and winter pallor. So experiment only until you have found your shade, which should be the one that tones most exactly with your skin, and stick to it. Powder may be a shade warmer, but it must harmonize with the skin. Remember that foundation and powder must be matched to the skin, no matter what the colour of your eyes and hair.

"Just Smile"

The correct placing of rouge needs lots of experiment and practice. Many women have used rouge for years without ever learning—the right place for it on their own particular faces and without realizing what a vast improvement a little thought on the subject might bring about. If you are not quite sure where to put the colour, there is a very simple way to find the right spot for the main dab. Just smile... and place a small smudge right on the highlight of the cheek. The only thing you want to know now is in which direction to blend the dab into your cheek. Here again, it is quite simple. If you remember that rouge acts as a shadow, it takes away and tones down the contours. So if your face is broad or round, you will shade away the extra width by blending the rouge outward along the cheekbones, towards the outer corners of the eyes, and temples, keeping it well away from the nose. If you have a long, narrow face, you will blend the rouge into the inner part of the cheeks, not carrying it downwards any lower than the level of the nostrils, avoid carrying it back along the cheekbones, for that will only make your narrow face look still narrower.

Wrinkles

The older woman, whose aim is to diminish wrinkles, will be wise if she uses colour very sparingly. A little will restore quite a few years, but too much will add as many on. This applies to lipstick too, for a hard, bright colour around the mouth will accentuate the deepest wrinkles.

As you carry out your experiments in colour, first try the effect and if it is good, practice until you achieve perfection.

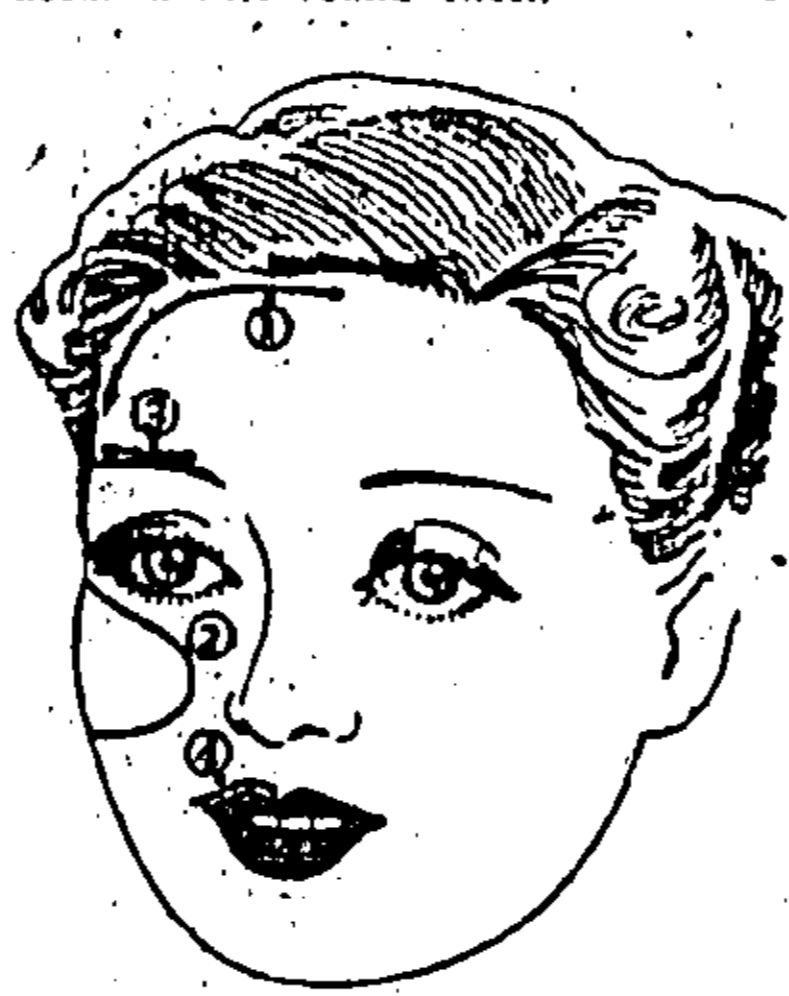
—CLAUDIA

Make-Up For A Square Face

By Victor Mamak

In my last article I illustrated the "right" and "wrong" of make-up and hair-style for an oval type of face. This article deals with the SQUARE type.

The square face is built on rectangular lines. The upper and lower width of face is almost identical—jaw and forehead appear square.

Figure X
Wrong

Note Figures X and Y. These are the outlines of a square face, or near enough. Figure X is illustrative of WRONG MAKE-UP and HAIR-STYLE while Figure Y is suggestive of RIGHT MAKE-UP and HAIR-STYLE for this type of face.

Notice the hair-style in Figure X. The severe parting of the hair and laying bare the forehead (see 1) accentuates the "square" of the face when our objective is to create a soft round effect. On the other hand, a few soft curls above the forehead in Figure Y (see A & B) and a soft fringe over the forehead (see 1) impart to the face a soft round effect, while a few soft curls "built up" on the sides minimize the hard lines of the jaw. This, however, does not mean that no other hair-style will be just as effective, or even better, for this type of face.

Figure Y
Right

The areas marked (2) in both the figures indicate the application of rouge. If the rouge is applied according to Figure X, our objective of a round effect will not be achieved. In fact it will emphasize the "square". The correct way would be to follow the outline marked on Figure Y. Start from high point of the cheek, directly under corner of the eye, extending towards outer cheek area, the ear and temple, and down over jawline. This shadows and softens the rectangular jaw contour. Of course the rouge should be softly and delicately shaded.

Coming to the eyebrows, you will note that the style indicated in Figure X is almost horizontal and parallel to the rectangular contour of the jaw and forehead. Again, this will emphasize the "square" instead of minimizing it. Slightly arched eyebrows, as indicated in Figure Y, will be most effective to help achieve a round effect. Compare (3) in both illustrations.

The lip make-up as illustrated in Figure X lacks width (see 4). The severe curves on the upper lip make the mouth look unnatural and deprive it of character. Now note Figure Y. The curves on the upper lip, as indicated by (4), harmonize with the arch in the two eyebrows. This is essential. Also note that the lipstick is applied on the entire line of lips to give width to the mouth in order to reduce wide space area between corner of mouth and jaw.

Remember that the ultimate objective of make-up for a SQUARE type of face is to create a soft, round effect.

House Hold Hints

Filled bottles can be packed in luggage for travelling without danger of the contents leaking or spilling out, if the corked ends of the bottles are dipped into melted paraffin.

To clean discoloured china dishes, try cleaning them with a solution of salt and vinegar.

Marking ink will not spread when you're marking linen if the initials are put on first with a soft lead pencil. Then use the marking ink.

To remove white spots on the dining room table, or any other pieces of furniture, caused by heat, apply the following in the order named: Kerosene, alcohol, and linseed oil (see 1). A different cloth should be used for each treatment. Keep rubbing in the linseed oil until the spot disappears.

If you are troubled with water bugs gathering around the sink, try pouring a cup of kerosene once a week down the drain, and do not run the water until about half-an-hour afterwards. The bugs will disappear very quickly.

Sweet oil is a good dressing for patent leather. Apply it with a small piece of flannel, then polish with a soft cloth.

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When filling a slender bottle with a very narrow neck, air bubbles can be prevented by placing a straw in it before pouring in the liquid.

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Blunt Warning By Stafford Cripps

Buxton, Oct. 10.
Sir Stafford Cripps, Minister of Economic Affairs, urged British industries, especially textile, to apply more modern techniques to lower production costs and thus to be better able to meet price competition abroad and combat inflation at home.

Speaking tonight at the inaugural meeting of the Directors and Managers conference in Buxton, the Minister also stressed the "psychological basis of production efficiency." He declared that the production drive required "more brain than muscle."

Sir Stafford said that the whole problem of increasing production should be approached from the viewpoint of "increasing output per man year and not in the lazy way by merely saying we must have more labour and more machines."

Pointing out that an increase of between ten to 15 per cent in most industries would satisfy production needs, Sir Stafford said: "We are not talking of impossible increases, but of figures which should be well within the capacity of the human brain and muscle."

London Stock Exchange

London, Oct. 10.
The eagerly awaited speech of Mr. Hugh Dalton, Chancellor of the Exchequer, has done nothing to relieve the mounting anxiety of the market other than a readjustment of ideas regarding prices among domestic investors. These movements, however, have only been substantiated in a few cases by actual business.

The upward movement in gilt-edged was largely the result of better covering and sentiment and although there was rather more evidence of the small investor there has been no response by the institutions.

WALKING AROUND WORLD

Mombasa, Kenya, Oct. 10.
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Hongkong, 11th Oct. 1947

Starve Or Beg

Urging a greater appreciation of modern scientific techniques, the Minister declared: "We have not yet got into our older industries, of which cotton is one of the earliest, the spirit of scientific enquiry and appreciation, which is so marked a characteristic of the newer engineering industries and, indeed, of all industry in countries like America."

Simple

Sir Stafford warned the conference that conditions were approaching in the buyers' market which made it difficult for Britain to sell her goods overseas.

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Buenos Aires, Oct. 10.
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Forward rates which are limited to three months differ per month by not more than five per cent.
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Alexandria, Oct. 10.
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SUNDAY, OCT. 12

Bangkok and Saigon, 10 a.m.
Manila, Penang and Rangoon, 9 a.m.
Canton (by Train), 10 a.m.
Macao, Tientsin and Shanghai, 10 a.m.
Kobe, 10 a.m.
Swatow, 10 a.m.
Shanghai, 10 a.m.
Hongkong, 10 a.m.
Formosa via Keelung, 10 a.m.
Amoy, 10 a.m.

Airmail for Bangkok, Singapore, Batavia, Colombo, Sydney and Auckland (Rex), 6 p.m. 11/10, (Ord.) 10 a.m. 12/10.
Airmail for Canton, Kowloon, Hankow, Shanghai and Hongkong; Airmail for Kanton and Calcutta, (Rex), 6 p.m. 11/10, (Ord.) 10 a.m. 12/10.
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MONDAY, OCT. 13

Canton (by Train) 7 a.m.
Macao, Tientsin and Shanghai, 9 a.m.
Airmail for Manila P.L. (Rex), 9 a.m. (Ord.) 9.30 a.m.
Batavia, Sourabaya and Macassar, 10 a.m.
Hainan, 10 a.m.
Hongkong, Tientsin and Shanghai, 1 p.m.
Canton (by Train), 2 p.m.
Australia and New Zealand via Sydney, (Par. and Rex), 2.30 p.m., (Ord.) 3 p.m.
Mauritius, East and South Africa via Durban, 3 p.m.
Manila P.L. 3 p.m.
Kobe, 3 p.m.
Kanton, 3 p.m.
Airmail for Saigon, (Rex), 3 p.m. (Ord.) 3.30 p.m.

Airmail for Amoy, Shanghai, Hankow, Hongkong, Tientsin and Peking; Airmail for Canton and Kowloon, (Rex), 3 p.m. (Ord.) 3.30 p.m.
Airmail for Hainan; Airmail for Canton, Swatow and Fuzhou, (Rex), 3 p.m. (Ord.) 3.30 p.m.

TUESDAY, OCT. 14

Canton (by Train), 7 a.m.
Macao, Tientsin and Shanghai, 9 a.m.
Airmail for Amoy, (Rex), 9 a.m. (Ord.) 9.30 a.m.
Kobe, Tientsin and Shanghai, 1 p.m.
Swatow, 1 p.m.
Canton (by Train), 2 p.m.
Kobe and Shanghai, 2 p.m.
Canton via Vancouver (Parcels only), 3 p.m.
Manila P.L. 3 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. & S. Africa and Egypt, 3 p.m.
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Airmail for Bangkok, Hongkong, Calcutta, Karachi, Bora, Cairo (Straits), Johannesburg and Marseilles via Cairo, Australia and London, Kowloon C.P.O. (Rex), 3 p.m., (Ord.) 3.30 p.m., G.P.O. (Rex), 3 p.m., (Ord.) 3.30 p.m.

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What Happened
In The CourtsCaning Had No
Terrors For
Dead-End Youth

The Reformatory and caning held no terrors for Wong Yucheng, 19-year-old youth. No sooner was he released from the former when he would commit another offence, according to Sub-Inspector J.S. Howarth.

Wong appeared before Mr. W.A. Blair-Kerr at Kowloon yesterday charged with larceny of wireless parts from 11 Tung Chau Street, Shamshuipo, on Oct. 10, and with breach of an expulsion order.

On defendant pleading guilty, S/I Howarth told His Worship that accused was sent to the Reformatory on May 23, 1946 for unlawful possession but was released before expiry of the term.

He appeared before the Court again on May 5 last charged with larceny and was sent to the Reformatory for two years. A month ago he was given ten strokes and ordered to be expelled for escaping from the Reformatory.

Wong was sentenced to three months' simple imprisonment and 12 strokes of the cane yesterday.

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Master Mariner
Assaulted Police
Inspector

Fredrick Paton, 50, Master Mariner, charged before Mr. F.X. d'Almeida at Central yesterday on three counts of assault on a police constable, disorderly conduct in the charge room and assaulting Inspector Gill, was fined \$50 on the first two charges and \$25 on the third charge.

Prosecuting Inspector Moran told the court that defendant, presented with his bill in the Hong Kong Hotel bar, became abusive and started fighting. Defendant struck a constable.

At Central, he struck Inspector Gill in the charge room. Defendant said he had had a few drinks and did not know what happened.

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